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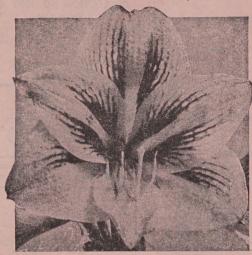
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Amaryllis, Hippeastrum (Hybrids). Planting season year around. American Vittati Hybrids, everblooming, huge, red shades varying to almost pure white. 50c each; doz. \$5.00. Fraser's White, striped red. 50c each; doz. \$5.00. Amaryllis, Hawaiian. Salmon white stripe. 35c each; doz. \$5.50.

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Giant Hybrids The finest of this class. The flowers have six petals of velvety texture, which curve back and open wide so that these gorgeous flowers often measure 8 to 10 inches across. The colors vary through all shades of red, scarlet, pink and white. Exfra fine bulbs, 75c each; \$7.50 per doz.

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## FRASER'S CALIFORNIA GROWN RED, WHITE, BLUE ANEMONE "AMERICA'S BEST"

Keep on the dry side

The flowers resemble poppies, are beautiful and come in a great variety of dazzling blue and red shadings. They can be grown outdoors anywhere in the United States and make a wonderful carpet or border. Soak the bulbs over night before planting. Plant one inch deep and four inches apart. Cover with leaf mould or peat moss.

Fraser's Giant Single Monarch Le Caen. This fine mixture of single poppy-like flowers includes a medley of colors—red, pink, blue, white, etc. Large bulbs. 45c per doz.; \$3.25 per 100. Medium bulbs. 25c per doz.; \$1.85 per 100.

#### VITAMIN BI TREATED RANUNCULUS

To insure success we are now using the new Vitamin B1 treatment on all our Ranunculus bulbs. This treatment is a necessary factor in the normal growth of plants, one of its functions being to increase and stimulate root growth. You will find these bulbs in condition. Plant the bulbs points down, two inches deep. Make a light feeding of blood meal every two weeks after plants have grown four inches high. Plant a dozen in a flower pot.

#### RANUNCULUS BULBS

Nothing will give more bloom in the spring at such a moderate price. Mixed colors. These wonderful hybrids are grown from a famous strain of seed recently imported into this country. Flowers are unsurpassed in range of brilliant and desirable colors and come almost 100 per cent double.

Extra Large Bulbs—50c per doz.; 50 for \$1.85; \$3.50 per 100. Large Bulbs—35c per doz.; 50 for \$1.35; \$2.50 per 100. Medium Bulbs—25c per doz.; 90c per 50; \$1.70 per 100.

#### YELLOW CALLA (In Growing Condition)

One of the most attractive flowers grown, suitable for outdoor bedding or for pot culture. The blossom is large and a deep golden yellow. The leaves are spotted white. Large size bulbs. each, 50c; doz. 55.50. Medium size bulbs. each 30c; doz. 53.00.

#### NEW PINK CALLA (In Growing Condition)

These desirable plants grow to a height of about 18 inches, the flowers being miniature callas, 1½ inches to 2 inches across, of an attractive rose-pink shade. They are grown very successfully out-of-doors in Southern California or they may be grown in pots for house decoration. 50c each: 5 for \$2.00.

#### WHITE CALLA

#### (In Growing Condition)

Very popular for outdoor bedding in California, They should be taken up every fourth year and the bulbs separated. Dig during June, dry thoroughly and transplant. 35c each; 83.50 per doz.

#### TUBEROUS ROOTED BEGONIAS

This is an interesting section, valuable as pot plants and for garden beds. The flowers vary considerably as to form and size, ranging from 4 and even 6 inches across.

Double Flowered. Varieties in separate colors—pink, scarlet, crimson, salmon and yellow. 30c each; 3 for 85c; 53.00 per doz.; 520.00 per 100. Mixed: \$2.50 per doz.; \$18.00 per 100. Fringed and Ruffled. Flowers of immense size with beautifully frilled, fringed and wavy petals, in a waxen more dignified way creating an effect like the finest ruffled Petunias. Ours is a choice strain. Separate colors—red, rose, pink, salmon, and orange. 30c each; 3 for 85c; \$3.00 per doz.; \$20.00 per 100. Mixed: \$2.50 per doz.; \$18.00 per 100.

#### WHITE SUMMER DAFFODIL

This attractive plant belongs to the Amaryllis family and forms clumps which, when in bloom, are a mass of clustered heads of pure white waxy flowers. The flowers are of peculiar and interesting structure and are borne 5 or 10 to the umbel. Their fragrance is unsurpassed. Extra large bulbs. 25c; 6 for \$1.00.

### ISMINE MAMMOTH DAFFODIL GIANT PERUVIAN WHITE

Lovely large pure white flower particularly admired for its haunting fragrance and excellent keeping qualities. The bulbs should be planted in a sunny situation and they may be left in the ground from year to year to multiply. The plants grow to a height of 3 feet and the foliage remains green and pretty most of the year. 50c each; 5 for \$2.00.



RANUNCULUS

After Bulbs are planted keep on the moist side until they flower.









#### LIFE'S GREATEST JOY

Fifty years have passed since the father in "Fraser & Son" started giving to the world his glorious flower productions... half a century of sincere service to mankind, Yet. the growing of flowers is but a work of love, and if in the working we can give a bit of color and cheer it will not have been in vain.

Flowers are one of God's greatest gifts to man. The seeds grown by "Fraser & Son" and placed in packets are for you. They were grown carefully—mere bits of life to bring you happiness, to help you meet the harder tasks of life. Success never comes without a calmness of spirit and clearness of mind. Calmness of the soul is one of the beautiful jewels of wisdom—you can find it in your garden, working among your flowers.

The unsettled conditions of the world, we hope, will soon be over, but now as never before America has turned to gardening. Garden Clubs and Horticultural Societies have sprung into being on every hand. We have learned that life's greatest joys come from little things: a packet of seeds; a smile; a handclasp. America has become garden minded . . . she has awakened to the joys of life.

Over these fifty years many new flowers have come into being with our assistance. We see vast fields of blossoms grown to feed the soul, and acres upon acres of vegetables grown to feed the body. We hope you will help us to give more beauty and happiness to the world; help us scatter flowers along life's way.

Douglas G. Fraser, President FRASER & SON, SEED GROWERS

### **NEW NOVELTIES FOR 1942**

#### 628 California Rose Supreme Antirrhinum (Snapdragon)

Flower-stems will grow to a height of 3 feet or more, and flowers are unusually large. Allow 9 inches of space between the plants. We thoroughly appreciate how disappointing it is to purchase a packet of pink snapdragon seeds and plant them and arrange them in a certain spot where we want pink only, and when these plants come into bloom we find every color of the rainbow, but just so long as we are not masters of Nature, we cannot control this feature entirely.

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#### EXTRA EARLY COLONIAL STOCKS

Blooms earlier than other branching types, grows 30 to 36 in. tall. The individual florets are 2 inches across and they form clusters or spikes 15 inches long. The percentage of double runs about 70 per cent.

796 Mayflower. Red rose. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 50c.
797 Priscilla. Silvery lavender. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 50c.
798 Puritan. Pure white. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 50c.

## 2442—GAILLARDIA—New Giant Double Flowered Hybrids

These new Hybrids represent a remarkable improvement in annual Double Flowering Gaillardia. The flowers measure from  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 3 inches across and are borne on long stems of good quality. The colors range from light yellow, delicate salmon, orange, chamois and buff tones to deep rose and carmine with several shades in between. The plants are of robust growth and free flowering. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c.

#### **NEW MARIGOLD**

372-Marigold Mission Giants-Giant Chrysanthemum-like blooms 4 to 572—Marigold Mission Glams—Clam Chrysantiendali-like Blooms 4 to 5 inches in diameter in true Marigold colors blended into a delightfully balanced mixture. The plants are about 18 inches high, base branching and produce from 8 to 12 stems of excellent cutting length. These stems bear flowers equally as large, if not larger, than the center stem. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c.

#### 2839—MORNING GLORY—Liberty Mixed

Here they are! Heavenly Blue, Pearly Gates (1942 All-America winner), and Scarlet O'Hara—a blend of three of the most popular varieties you can buy. You will be more than enthusiastic about the effect of this red, white, and blue trio climbing over trellis, porch, or fence. Pkt. 25c.

#### 469—COSMOS—Early Klondyke Yellow. 1942 All-America Award.

Even more striking in appearance than its parent, Orange Flare. The color is golden or "butter" yellow. An excellent, free blooming flower for the garden, growing 3 to 4 feet tall. Slightly later and taller than Orange Flare. Pkt. 25c.

#### SCARLET WISTERIA TREE—Flowers 2 Years from Seed—Easy to Grow

Hardy, thrifty, superior, small shrub tree that grows only five feet high with a spread of four feet, giving the shape of a large beach parasol. It has lovely blue-green foliage and beautiful large orange-red flowers hanging in long clusters like the Wisteria underneath the foliage. Hardy anywhere in the United States. It is deciduous in the winter months for a short time. It has been known to produce three crops of these beautiful large orange-red flower clusters in one season. Fine for growing in large tubs and pots. 12 Seeds Now 25c.









## NEW NOVELTIES for 1942

Distributed by us exclusively and only genuine if procured direct from us. We announce with pardonable pride the introduction of several splendid annuals of American origin, which we are sure will add lustre to the history of American Floriculture. We do not wish to claim the credit for these novelties, but are anxious to place the glory where it is due. It is to encourage the patient and tedious work of growing new flowers among the American gardeners that we have searched the country over, and feel well rewarded with the results.

Please Order by Numbers Only

#### NEW "ART" ASTERS-Princess Chiffon Type The True Pastelle Shades

We are proud to be the exclusive distributor of these novelties which are of "American" origin. In form, this type is the equal of the largest and most perfect Chiffon Shasta Daisy but its true originality lies in the coloring of the flowers. Every shade hitherto known exists in this class, but each has a sheen of copper drawn over the original color, creating a most artistic effect, which can only be described with the word "Pastelle." You must see these flowers to appreciate their true beauty. This will be the forerunner of more artistic shadings in flowers. Pkt. 25c.

2999-Aster-Rose Chiffon-Pkt. 25c-Special Pkt. 50c 3000—Aster—White Chiffon—Pkt. 25c—Special Pkt. 50c 3001—Aster—Yellow Chiffon—Pkt. 25c—Special Pkt. 50c 3003—Aster—Mixed Chiffon—Pkt. 25c—Special Pkt. 50c

1145-CLEOME, Giant Pink Queen. Second highest number of points in entire history of All-America Selections

Huge trusses of bright salmon pink top the long stems of this novel plant. A hardy annual easily grown from seed sown directly outdoors after the soil warms up in spring. Cleome, Giant Pink Queen blooms abundantly from midsummer to fall. As the lower flowers on the trusses fade to blush-pink, others come on, and the seed pods forming on wiry stems along the stalk add much to the attractiveness of the plant.

Average height of Cleome, Giant Pink Queen is 3 feet, but it often grows much taller. It is striking in the background of a border and for outlining a driveway. As a cut flower it is delightful, combining especially well with lavender or blue. It is said not to be susceptible to damage from insect pests or diseases. A Ferry-Morse development. Pkt. 25c.

#### 51—ZINNIA HOWARD'S NEW GIANT CRESTED MIXED

This new Zinnia is the result of direct reciprocal crosses between the small-flowered Scabiosa flowered class and the Giant Dahlia flowered type. The blossoms average from 4 to 5 inches in diameter, with a full rounded cushiony center surrounded by broad guard petals after the style of a Camellia crested type. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 50c.

#### 19—FRASER'S NEW COLOSSAL SCABIOSAEFLORA ZINNIA Mixed Colors

Giant-flowering sport of the Scabiosaeflora Zinnia. In our trial of about 1000 plants we found practically no rogues.

Individual flower measures as large as 31/4 inches or more which is decidedly larger when compared with ordinary Scabiosaeflora type which seldom exceeds 2½ inches across. Our strain contains such colors as crimson scarlet, orange, salmon-orange and maize-yellow. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 50c.

#### ASTER CALIFORNIA GIANT SUNSHINE-2 to 3 ft.

Mr. Fraser's Note: We consider the Giant California Sunshine Aster the world's best. It comes only about 50% true to type, but the other 50% are usually large single Rainbow type of exquisite beauty.

This is one of the most outstanding novelties for making lovely cut flower decorations which has been introduced in many years. It is a cross between the California Giants and the Dwarf Sunshine Aster. The plants grow three feet high, bearing their blossoms on long stems, making them fine for cutting. The individual blooms are enormous—four and five inches across—and have a lovely two-toned color effect with disk a creamy yellow, made up of miniature star-shaped florets and the encircling petals varying in shades of pink, apple blossom, deep rose, blue, and lavender, producing most beautiful contrasts. We know of no other flowers which draw more admiration in a bouquet or basket than these magnificent Asters in the following separate colors.

3333 Alpenglow light rose pink, yellow center. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c.

Blue Moon blue, yellow center. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c. Sun-Rose rose-pink, orange center. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c. 3334 3335

Rose with light rose and lemon center. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c. Shell Pink with white and lemon center. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c. 3336 3337 3338

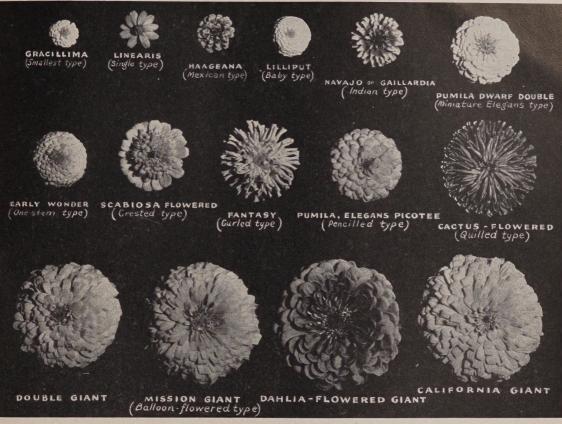
Stratosphere dark blue with orange center. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c. White lemon center. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c. Mixed Colors. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c.

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## TYPES of ZINNIAS

### Showing Fifteen Different Kinds

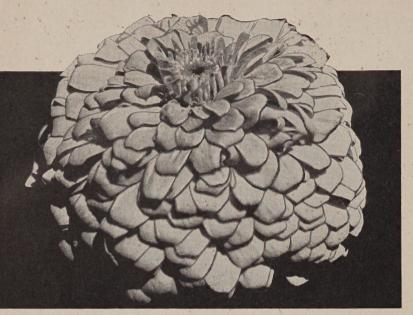
The illustration shows fifteen different types proving that seed breeding is an art. It is the selection of parent seed plants by the grower, that produces the perfect blooms. Over 50 years working with Zinnias.



- 81 Gracillima Mixed. The smallest Zinnia. Plants average one foot high, flowers about one inch, on slender stems. Extremely floriferous. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 25c; 1 oz. \$1.00.
- 10 Linearis. New single dwarf type. Golden-orange with lemon-yellow stripe. Very showy and longest blooming period of all Zinnias. Height 12 to 18 inches, flowers about one inch. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 50c.
- 88 Haageana or Mexicana Zinnia. Elegans type. Mixed colors. Charming small semi-double flowers in yellow and mahogany-red shades. Height about 18 inches, flowers 1½ inches. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c; 4 oz. 75c.
- 100 Lilliput or Pompon Type. Mixed colors. Perfect miniatures in form and color of the most beautiful and double giant Zinnias. Height 2 feet, flowers 1½ inches. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 35c; 1 oz. \$1.00.
- 35 Navajo or Gaillardia Flowered. Mixed colors. New unique double and semi-double flowers. Height 2 feet, flowers 2 inches. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 40c; 1 oz. \$1.25.
- 39 Elegans Pumila Dwarf Double; Miniature Type, Mixed colors. Double, rather flat-flowered blossoms resembling in miniature form the California Giant Zinnia. Height 2½ feet, flowers 2½ inches. Pkt. 15c; ¼ oz. 30c; 1 oz. \$1.00.
- 49 Early Wonder or Gaiety. Mixed colors. A gay mixture of colors, blooming very early. Plants 18 inches high, flowers 3 inches across. Pkt. 25c: Special Pkt. 50c: 1 oz. \$1.50.
- 19 Scabiosa-Flowered, or Crested Type. Mixed colors. Charming and unusual flowers with a broad ray of outer petals surrounding a cushion-like mound of quill-like petals. Plants 3 feet high, flowers 2½ to 3 inches. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c; 1 oz. 51.50.
- 15 Fantasy. Curled Type. Mixed colors. New, medium-sized

- quilled flowers. Plant 3 feet high, flowers 31/2 inches. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 40c; 1 oz. \$1.50.
- 59 Pumila, Elegans Picotee, Mixed colors. Petals are tipped in contrasting colors. Plant 2½ feet high, flowers 3 inches across. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 40c; 1 oz. \$1.00.
- 69 Cactus-Flowered, Mixed colors. Giant blooms with oddly quilled petals. Plants 3½ feet high, flowers 4 inches. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 35c; 1 oz. \$1.50.
- 206 Double Giant. Robusta Plenissima. Double, special mixture. Plants 3½ feet high, flowers 4 inches across. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 25c; 1 oz. 75c.
- 184 Mission Giant, Balloon flowered type. Mixed colors. Huge, rounded blossoms very compact, 5 to 6 inches across on plants 3½ to 4 feet tall. The most perfect of all large-flowered types. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 40c; 1 oz. \$1.00.
- 149 Giant Dahlia-Flowered. Mixed colors. Petals somewhat loosely arranged, resembling the Dahlia, huge double blooms. Plant 4 feet high, flowers 6 inches across. Pkf. 15c; Special Pkt. 40c; 1 oz. \$1.00.
- 223 California Giant. Mixed colors. Mammoth-flowered type. Plants grow to a height of 4 feet with flowers sometimes 7 inches across, somewhat flat in form and very double. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 40c; 1 oz. \$1.25.

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Giant Mission Zinnia, Balloon Flowered Type, Double, Robusta Grandiflora Branching 21/2 Feet Tall, Flowers 51/2 Inches Across

### Fraser's CALIFORNIA MISSION ZINNIAS

184 Mission Grande Mixture. Including all shades of the California Mission Zinnia shades in one packet. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 40c; 1 oz. \$1.00.

185 Mission Pastel Shades. A beautiful blend of all the soft delicate shades in the Mission Zinnias. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 50c; 1 oz. \$1.25.

A choice strain of the finest and most brilliant colors which A choice strain of the finest and most brilliant colors which range through varying shades of yellow, orange, pink, rose, scarlet, crimson and lavender; also white. Double Giants are an improved strain of Zinnias, often measuring 5½ inches in diameter. Glorious huge flowers in colors that will brighten any garden—what could be more desirable than these Double Giant Zinnias? They are so easily grown and make a brilliant display from midsummer until frost. They are carried on strong stems and, therefore, are valued as much for cutting as for garden display. Suited for the mixed border and solid beds of color.

179 Mission Buttercup Yellow. Unusually fine form in soft creamy-yellow shades, slightly lower in growth than other Balloon types.

180 "BLACK GIANT." A new addition to this group this year. Color is a deep blackish-maroon.

177 Mission Lavender Princess. Lavender shades from silver lilac to deep orchid.

178 Autumn Peach Glory. Buff shades becoming tinted with bronze pink and soft autumn colors as they age. 181 Crimson-Scarlet Beauties. Perfect range of red shades. 182 Mission Salmon Queen. Salmon-rose shades, two-toned flowers, bright and lively.

183 Poppy Gold. Rich shades of golden and chrome yellows between our Burnt Orange and Daffodil in depth; similar to the California Poppy.

160 Mission Majestic Rose. Rich warm carmine-rose, different from other rose shades and very outstanding.

Mission White Snowball. Few people realize the beauty of the true white Zinnia.

170 Mission Burnt Orange. Striking, richly colored in orange shades with deeper orange centers.

164 Mission Radiant Rose. Radiant, soft deep rose shades, two-toned effects as the flowers age.

172 Mission Purple Profusion. Deep, rich purple shades, perfectly formed.

186 Mission Cherry Red. New.

163 Scarlet Red Boy. New scarlet:

Any of the above varieties: Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 40c; 1 oz. \$1.00.

#### GRACILLIMA

#### New Cupid Zinnias

Cupid Zinnias-the smallest of all-ideal for cutting

Compact plants, about 1 foot tall, consist of a large number of slender branches which give the plant a well-rounded, bushy habit. Each of the numerous upright stems bears a miniature flower which hardly exceeds 1 inch in diameter. Plants are very floriferous; a mass of color through the summer and fall. They are as easy to grow as any Zinnias. They are as any Zinnias.

Cupid Zinnias are especially adapted for borders, bedding and rock gardens, and as a miniature cut flower. The long, slender stems, usually free from lateral branches, are ideal for cutting and may be used alone, as pictured above, or with long-stemmed flowers as well as with the short-stemmed small flowers ordinarily used in miniature vases. vases.

76 Elf. Beautiful and fascinating shades of carmine.

77 Tiny Tim. Glowing shade of brilliant scarlet.

78 Pixie. Very attractive bright vellow. Showy.

79 Snowdrop. Pure clear white; good mixer

Any of the above varieties: Pkt. 15c; 1/8 oz. 35c; 1/4 oz. 60c.

81 Special Mixture. Including the above four and other desirable colors of this tiny double Zinnia. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 30c; ¼ oz. 50c; ½ oz. 85c.

### Cut-and-Come-Again ZINNIAS

(Elegans pumila flore pleno) All Double Miniature Mission Zinnias

Branching 2 Feet Tall, Flowers 2½ Inches Across
Flowers are medium-sized, about 2½ inches across, well
rounded and freely produced on long stems; ideal for cutting.
The compact, branching plants, which in an average soil grow
about 2 feet tall, keep on blooming from early midsummer
until frost, making an attractive display in beds or borders,
and yielding an abundance of long-keeping cut flowers for
house decoration. In fact, the more flowers you cut, the
more the plants will bloom. For those who prefer medium
size flowers, especially for low bowls or vases, Cut-and-ComeAgain Zinnias will be found most satisfactory.

24 Golden Yellow.

25 Golden Orange.

26 Crimson-Scarlet.

27 Salmon-Rose. 28 Pink Shades.

Black Knight, black maroon.

30 Spun Gold. Creamy Yellow.

39 Blended Mixture. All of the above separate colors mixed.

Delicate Shades. No red or orange in this special mixture.

#### Any of the above: Pkt. 15c; 1/4 oz. 30c; 1 oz. \$1.00. COLLECTION No. 40. 8 of Above Colors 60c

### Fraser's Junior Giant Dwarf Giant Zinnias

680 Flowers grow about 21/2 inches across, and are produced so profusely that, regardless of how many you cut, there always, seem to be more. A bed or border of these giant flowers on dwarf plants, about 12 inches tall, is a sight to be-Make a dazzling display of color in the fall. Pkt. 25c.

## California GIANT ZINNIAS—3½ Feet Tall

### Blossoms 5 to 6 Inches Across. The World's Most Popular Flower

Zinnias are among the most popular annuals in the market today. They are suitable for florisis use, for home gardens and household decoration. Their easy culture and long blooming season make them a profitable investment. Their varied forms and exquisite colors have brought them into prominence in flower shows both in the United States and other countries for the past ten years. No type of Zinnia has come into favor so rapidly as our improved strain of California Giants and Special Color Mixtures.

#### FRASER'S SPECIAL COLOR MIXTURES

247 Art Shades. A special blend of all the best rich, flashing colors of the California Giant Zinnias. Deepest of the rose, yellow, orange, scarlet and purple shades. Pkt. 25c.

70 David Burpee Zinnia, Giant Curled Cactus Type. Tremendous flowers up to 6 inches across and from 4 to 5 inches in depth, with cutting stems averaging 18 inches in length. Colors of apricot, soft cream, chamois, buff, salmonpink, peach, burnt orange, pure rose, etc. Plants grow 3 feet tall; leaves are curiously curled and twisted. Most desirable for garden use and cutting. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 50c.

246 Purple and Gold Combination. A balanced formula of California Giant and Mission purples, lavenders, oranges and several yellows, from fine strains. Pkt. 25c.

248 Golden West Blend. This combination ranges through all the rich yellows, golden yellow and orange shades of the California Giant Zinnias. Highly recommended. Pkt. 25c.

We have rigorously selected our strains during the past few years; the seed we offer is of the best possible quality. The germination will be

FRASER'S ZINNIAS

Separate Colors of California Giant Zinnias

210 Mammoth Orange King. Gorgeous golden yellow and orange shades, many two-tones.

211 Mammoth Scarlet Gem. A wonder in size and depth of color, bright scarlet.

212 Mammoth Vermilion Queen. Brilliant, vivid vermilion verging to rose.

14 Mammoth Daffodil. Brilliant canary yellow shades.

215 Mammoth Rose Queen. Bright rose shades with deeper rose center.

**216 Mammoth Pink Perfection.** Bright lively pink shades, stronger than Mammoth Pink Profusion.

217 Mammoth Pink Profusion. Glorious shades of light, delicate pinks, some deepening, some with salmon flush, others light flesh pinks.

219 Mammoth Enchantress. Beautiful rose shades with deeper rose centers; distinctly a two-toned flower. Very lovely.

222 Mammoth Lemon Queen. Petals loosely arranged, similar to Scarlet Gem, bloom is lemon-yellow.

224 Mammoth Purple. Violet-purple shades, huge flowers, petals somewhat loosely arranged.

223 Mammoth Giant Wonder Mixture. Including all the California Giant Zinnia shades in one packet.

Any of the above separate or mixed colors: Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 40c; 1 oz. \$1.25.

See Front Cover for New Collection Offer No. 245.



# FRASER'S ZINNIAS

of Improved Strains

249 Zinnias, All American Giants Mixed. A selection of our own. The individual flowers often are from 4 to 5 inches across, are of remarkable substance and are borne on long, strong, wiry stems. The strain, in our opinion, is superior to the Dahlia-flowered and the Giants of California. The flowers are larger, more densely made up, and of perfect form, while the colors are bright and more abundant. It should prove a very remarkable Zinnia for those desiring a real excellent strain for the growing of cut flowers. Special size Pkt. 25c; oz. \$1.50.

See page 52 for 16 illustrations of Zinnias in their natural colors.

Some of the common kinds of flowers that should be planted only in the cool months because the seeds respond better when soil temperatures are low include larkspur, delphinium, anemone, ranunculus, nemophila, nasturtium and California Wildflowers. Seeds that perform more satisfactorily if they are put in the ground after soil temperatures become warm are zinnia, petunia, asters, marigold, stocks, snapdragons, salpiglossis and sunflower.

### ZINNIA

## Dahlia flowered Branching; 3 ft. tall; 5 in. flowers

#### The Most Famous Zinnia in the World

The most famous Zinnia in the worldawarded gold medal in London and Antwerp and many distinctions in this and other countries. As the name implies, this magnificent strain produces deep centered flowers of huge size resembling the decorative dahlia. Illustration-right.

Giant Zinnia, Desert Gold. 146. This to us is the most artistic of all Golden Zinnias. The flowers have golden yellow petals edged with primrose. Most beautiful. A wonderful companion to plant with the Will Rogers Zinnia listed above. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c.

Will Rogers Zinnia. 155. The new Will Rogers Zinnia is the most vivid shade yet developed in Zinnias. It is a vibrant red. a strikingly brilliant blending of scarlet and crimson, which glistens in the sun with dazzling beauty. Grows three feet high. Pkt. 35c; Special Pkt. \$1.00.

high. Pkf. 3sc; Special Pkf. \$1.00.

134 Canary Bird. Primrose yellow. Very large. 133 Crimson Monarch. The largest and best crimson. 135 Dream. Deep lavender or purple. 137 Exquisite. Rose with darker center. 138 Golden State. Rich orange yellow. 136 Eldorado. Rose on salmon. 141 Illumination. Rich deep rose. 142 Oriole, Bicolor, orange and gold. 145 Old Rose. A soft salmon rose. 148 Polar Bear. Named after the white dahlia "Polar Bear." 144 Scarlet Flame. Vivid scarlet. 149 Named Varieties. Gold Medal Mixed. Price: Per Pkt. 15c each; ¼ oz. 35c; oz. \$1.00. SPECIAL MIXTURES, 150 Giant Dahlia-flowered Pastel Shades. White and cream in tris blend. Pkf. 15c; Special Pkt 40c; 1 oz. \$1.25.



## Giant California SUNSHINE ASTERS



3299 Single Rainbow Aster Pkt. 15c.

Single Asters 3 to 4 inches across are more largely grown each season, and we do not know of any class of flowers so valuable for cutting as these when the days are shortening. The Rainbow is a great improvement on the original Chinese Aster; not only have larger flowers been attained, but our strain comes earlier into bloom. The plants are very freegrowing and require spacing at least 2 to 2½ feet to admit of full development of the flower-stems, which are often 18 inches in length. The large daisy-like blossoms appear in the greater profusion and are exquisite in bouquets.

### Rainbow Single Asters Fraser's Special Florist Strain

Our strain has been very popular on the Los Angeler flower market for many years owing to its distinctive compact flowers with wider petals. It is naturally resistant to wilt and contains a balanced assortment of pink and lavender shades. Deep golden centers.

3299 Rainbow Blend. W-R. Fine mixture of above rainbow colors. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 35c; 1 oz. \$1.00.

Mr. Fraser's Note: We consider the Giant California Sunshine Aster the world's best. It comes only about 50% true to type, but the other 50% are usually large single Rainbow type of exquisite beauty.

This is one of the most outstanding novelties for making This is one of the most outstanding novelties for making lovely cut flower decorations which has been introduced in many years. It is a cross between the California Giants and the Dwarf Sunshine Aster. The plants grow three feet high, bearing their blossoms on long stems, making them fine for cutting. The individual blooms are enormous—four and five inches across—and have a lovely two-toned color effect with disk a creamy yellow, made up of miniature star-shaped florets and the encircling petals varying in shades of pink, apple blossom, deep rose, blue, and lavender, producing most beautiful contrasts. We know of no other flowers which draw more admiration in a bouquet or basket than these magnificent Asters in the following separate colors.

#### ASTER CALIFORNIA GIANT SUNSHINE, 2 to 3 ft.

3333 Alpenglow light rose pink, yellow center. 25c. Special Pkt. 50c.

3334 Blue Moon blue, yellow center. 25c. Special Pkt. 50c.

3335 Sun-Rose rose-pink, orange center. 25c. Special Pkt. 3336 Rose with light rose and lemon center. 25c. Special Pkt.

50c.

3337 Shell pink with white and lemon center. 25c. Special Pkt. 50c.

3338 Stratosphere dark blue with orange center. 25c. Special Pkt. 50c.

White lemon center. 25c. Special Pkt. 50c. Mixed. All above colors. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 50c. 3332

## Fraser IMPROVED ASTERS

Bloom from May 'til October

In few other plants have such strides been made in improvement of varieties, as has been among the asters. Asters bloom all through the summer and autumn from plants started in seed boxes under frames, beginning in January and continuing until May. This program will give blooming plants from May until October or later. If you do not care to go to this trouble, seeds may be planted in the open ground in April or May. You will want at least one portion of your garden set aside for the "Queen" of autumn flowers,

#### Fraser's California Ostrich Plume Asters

#### WILT RESISTANT STRAIN

A wilt resistant strain in a full color range in this fine variety. If you have been having trouble growing asters because of wilt, this is the aster for you to plant. The flowers are very large and produced on long stiff stems. Colors are exquisite and plants grow about  $2\frac{1}{2}$  feet tall.

3141 Fraser's Crimson. W-R. Mellow rose-crimson tone

3142 Fraser's Rose. W-R. A bright rose. 3143 Fraser's Pink. W-R. A shell pink.

3144 Fraser's White, W.R. Snowy white.
3145 Fraser's Violet. W-R. Gorgeous lavender blue.
3146 Fraser's Purple. W-R. Deep purple.

Any above Packets 15c each; Special Pkt. 35c; 1/4 oz. 50c. 3149 Fraser's Plume Mixture. W-R. Pkt. 10c; Special Pkt. 25c: 1 oz. 75c.

#### California Giant Asters

A marvelous midseason to late-flowering type with plants growing 3 to 31/2 feet high. Has magnificent curled and interlaced flowers measuring 5 inches or more in diameter carried gracefully on splendid strong stems that measure 18 to 24 inches in length.

3310 Giant Blue. Clear azure blue. Pkt. 15c; 1/2 oz. 75c.

3311 Giant Pink. Delicate pink. Pkt 15c; 1/2 oz. 75c.

3312 Giant Purple. Rich purple. Pkt. 15c; 1/2 oz. 75c. 3313 Giant White. Snow white. Pkt. 15c; 1/2 oz. 75c.

3314 Giant Rose. Deep, rich rose. Pkt. 15c; 1/2 oz. 75c.

3319 Finest Mixed. All colors. Pkt. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 45c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 75c; 1 oz. \$1.40



Early American Beauty Asters



California Giant Aster

#### Super Giant Asters

3377 El Monte. New. As magnificent an Aster as we have ever seen. The color is deep glowing crimson with the sparkle of live rubies. Elegant, long-stemmed, fluffy blooms composed of daintily interlaced plume-like petals. An early and persistent bloomer producing its first flowers before the California Giant varieties. Pkt. 15c; 1/4 oz. 60c; 1/2 oz. \$1.00.

3373 Los Angeles. Gardeners everywhere have shown the greatest enthusiasm about this wonderful Super Giant Aster introduced recently. Really marvelous. full petaled, very deep, and unusually large feathery flowers with narrow, gracefully interlaced petals. The color is an enchanting shade of pure shell pink. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 60c; ½ oz. \$1.00.

3324 Aster, Streamlined, Wilt Resistant, Color pure rose pink. Plants grow 2 to 3 feet tall. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 50c; ½ oz. 85c. 3329 Fraser's Famous King Aster. An immense flower, gorgeous color and wonderful keeping qualities, makes this Aster one of the best of the large double types. A blend of all colors. Pkt. 10c; ¼ oz. 75c.

#### Early American Beauty Asters

3361 Azure Blue. W-R. A lovely azure blue or deep lavender. Pkt. 15c; 1/2 oz. 60c.

Carmine-Rose. W-R. Immense, bright cerise blooms.

Pkt 15c; 1/2 oz. 60c.

3362 Crimson. W-R. An excellent shade of rich crimson. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 60c. 3366 Purple. W-R. The rich deep purple blooms are gorgeous. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 60c.

3365 Shell Pink. W-R. A lovely delicate shell pink color. Pkt. 15c;  $1\!\!/_2$  oz. 60c.

3367 White. W-R. Most attractive with its display of large and well formed pure white blooms. Pkt. 15c: 1/2 oz. 60c.

3368 Collections of American Beauty Asters. One packet each of the 6 sorts, value 90c, for 60c. 3359 Finest Mixed. W-R. A blend of all colors. Pkt. 10c;  $v_2$  oz. 50c; 1 oz. 90c.

## 8 Best Early Spencer SWEET PEAS \$100

Plant During Early Spring for Summer Flowers



Because of the myriad of colors and varieties in Sweet Peas we offer each season what we consider the 12 best varieties considering color, size of flower and vigorous plant habit. In addition we offer the outstanding novelties for the sweet pea fans who want the best of the new introductions.

Complete cultural information is given on each packet. Seed requires 14 days in which to germinate.

#### **NEW SPRING SWEET PEAS**

Latest Creation from California

1436 Spring Flowering Spencer. This new type was introduced in 1939. It was created and developed in California. In 1940, the All-America Council on flowers honored the three original varieties as follows: Silver Medal to "Rose Pink"; Bronze Medal to "Blue": and Honorable Mention to "Lavender". We offer it in Mixed. The features of this new type are: Ability to grow under hot weather conditions, vigor of growth, extra long stems, long season of flowering, and abundance of blossoms. Pkt. 25c; ½ 20z. 50c;

#### California Souvenir Sweet Pea Collection

No. 134

PACKETS SPENCER SWEET PEAS and
1 PACKET VITAMITE INOCULATOR
Collection Offer No. 1340 (Value \$1.35) for

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Incomparable in size, color, form and substance. A revelation in color and fragrance. Excellent for planting in fall or early spring in Eastern States and particularly suited for outside planting in Southern States during August, September, October and November for winter and early spring bloom.

1330 Phyllis Fraser.

Lavender.

1332 Christmas Red.

1333 Gardenia White.

White.

1336 Orange Supreme.

1337 American Beauty. Rose.

auty. Golden

1338 Miss Los Angeles.

1356 Shirley Temple.

'A beautiful Silver Rose, large flowered, long stem, outstanding

1359 Mother Machree.
Golden Rose.

Any of the above Packets, 15c

#### 14 SOLID COLORS Early Rainbow Colors in Spencer Sweet Peas

1308 Lilac—CATTLEYA. A bewitching shade of rose-lilac like the Orchid Cattleya. Large beautifully waved flowers. A very attractive color under artificial light, long stems and vigorous plant.

1309 Amethyst—ROYAL PURPLE OF THE KINGS.

1310 MEADOW LARK Improved, Cream. Long stems and frilled.

1311 Deep Lavender — MICHIGAN.

Giant flower of good deep color and

1312 Blue—BLUE BONNET. A fine clear blue of unusual purity and lasting qualities.

ing qualities.

1315 Clear Pink—Imperial. A large, clear pink of soft shade.

1318 Crimson—AVIATOR. A glowing, warm-crimson, the best of this shade.

1322 White—WHITE HARMONY. A pure white; free flowering. Awarded two silver medals and three certificates.

1323 Bicolor—COLUMBIA. Salmonrose with white wings. A favorite among growers.

1341 Salmon-Cerise — PRIDE. A bright, live color effect under artificial

1342 Clear Lavender — HARMONY. A beautiful large frilled lavender of delicate light shade.

1344 Rose-Pink — GIANT ROSE. A very rich rose-pink, large flowered and beautifully waved.

1345 Orange Scarlet—VULCAN. We offer this color in place of the so-called oranges. It is one of the best orange shades, and deep enough so it will not sunburn.

1352 **GLITTERS.** A magnificent flower, with a remarkable glowing color. The standard is scarlet red.

Prices of all above separate colors: Pkt, 15c; 1 oz. 50c; 4 ozs. \$1.60. One ounce will sow a row about 20 feet long.

1339 Fraser's California Rainbow Beauty Mixture—This is a very special Early Spencer mixture including splendid shades, such as pink and salmon, lavender and orchid, scarlet and crimson, light and dark blues, rose, white and artistic two-tone shades. In fact, all the colors of the rainbow. 1/2 Oz. 25c; 1 Oz. 30c; 4 Ozs.

### CIANT RUFFLED SWEET PEAS

#### Spring-Summer Flowering

The Giant Ruffled Sweet Pea is a recent development of the Spencer types. Flowers are large, ruffled and frilled and give the appearance of being fully double. Everyone is taken with this type and if you have never planted them you have a real treat in store.

1428 Lady Ruffles. Large blooms, soft pink self on a white background. Flowers of good substance exquisitely ruffled and frilled. A Gold Medal Winner and one of the finest of the ruffled types. Plants a 12-foot row. 1423 Cattleya Queen. A large frilled duplex of rosy mauve.

1424 Fluffy Ruffles. Soft creamy-pink flowers like large fluffy balls. One of the first introduced.

1425 Ruffled Beauty. A lilac-pink over amber. Large, daintily ruffled flower.

1426 Ruffled Orchid. Lavender-pink with a warm mauve sheen.

1427 Ruffled Rose. A soft rose-pink, well ruffled and borne on long stems.
 1422 Fraser's Flare Crimson.

1430 Mary Pickford. Soft pink on a cream background and one of the most beautiful Sweet Peas grown.

Any of the above Ruffled Sweet Peas: Pkt. 15c; 1 oz. 50c; 4 ozs. \$1.60.

#### Orchid Flowered Ruffled Mixed

1429 We have blended in this special mixture a large number of varieties which distinguish themselves by having beautifully ruffled blooms. Will give a magnificent display in the garden and yield great quantities of cut flowers. Pht. 15c; oz. 25c; ½ 1b. 60c; lb. \$2.00.

### SWEET PEA

Vitamite-Inoculator — A nitrofying bacteria, draws nitrogen from the air. For Sweet Peas, Beans, Legumes and all plant life. Lightens heavy soils. Pkt. 15c.

#### Complete List of the Finest Varieties That Will Bring New Glory to Your Garden

Produced under the ideal conditions prevailing here, which are not excelled in any other section of the world. The quality of Pacific Coast Seeds is best reflected by the great increase in seed production here for world-wide consumption. Practically every nation on the globe now comes to the Pacific Coast for at least part of their seed requirements. California Seeds are produced by people who have served a lifetime in the seed-growing business and possess every modern apparatus for seed production, cleaning, grading, testing, packing and marketing. packing and marketing.

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2205 New Ageratum, Fairy Pink. The Ageratum Fairy Pink is a dwarf compact Ageratum of a delightful soft salmon rose-pink color. Fine for borders, something different. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c.

2206 Ageratum, Midget Blue. Dwarf (3 to 4 inches high), with delicate fine foliage, which is practically smothered with small true Ageratum Blue flowers. Pkt. 25c.

#### AGATHEA-Blue Marguerite Daisy

2949 Coelestis. Sky blue flower with yellow disc growing 1 foot tall. A half hardy perennial remaining in bloom all year round. Useful for window boxes. Sow the seed in boxes to transplant. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 30c; ¼ oz. 50c.



2210 Alyssum Dwarf Compact Violet Queen, wite distinct bright violet, much deeper than Lilac Queen, quite distinct in both color and habit. A fine companion for Little Gem.

## SWEET ALYSSUM (Ideal for Edging)

### Ageratums, New Dwarf and Fairy Pink AGERATUM-Floss Flower

Other flowers in garden and border are made lovelier by the presence of this plant with its dense clusters of small fuzzy blossoms. The taller type is fine for cutting while the dwarfs are suitable as edging and border plant blooming nearly the year 'round. Easily raised from seed either in fall or spring. 2201 Fraser's Blue Boy. 8 inches. Bright blue large-flowering. Good for rock gardens. Pkt. 25c; ½ oz. \$1.00.

2202 Venus. 6 inches. Compact, dwarf, fluffy flowers from creamy white to blush pink. Pkt. 25c.
2203 Fraser's Tall Blue. 2 feet. Bright azure blue, branching habit. Pkt. 15c: 1/8 oz. 50c.

2204 Bluecap. Dwarf, new, 4 inches. Pkt. 25c.

#### ALYSSUM—Sweet Alyssum

(Year Round)

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#### **AMARANTHUS**

#### Colorful Foliage Plant, Hardy Annual

This striking foliage plant brightens up shrubbery; is at its best in late summer and fall. Too rich soil causes lack of bright coloring in foliage.

2221 Molten Fire. The top leaves are a fiery crimson, the lower ones maroon. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c. 2223 Flaming Fountain (Salicifolius). Willow-like foliage, crimson and gold, 2½ feet. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c. 2224 Tricolor Splendens (Joseph's Coat). 3 feet. Flaming crimson head and variegated foliage. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.

2225 Sunrise. 3 feet. Most brilliant, bronze-crimson foliage terminates in a cluster. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.

#### AMARYLLIS SEED

Giant American Hybrids Mixed (Hippeastrum)
2948 This is the finest strain of ever-blooming Amaryllis
in the world. Blooms are 6 to 8 inches across in all the reds,
crimsons, white, and striped varieties. 100 seeds 65c; 1000

#### ANAGALLIS-Blue Pimpernel

Hardy annual, 18 inches.

2231 Grandiflora Blue. Bushy plant covered with violet-blue flowers. Require a sunny location; are a gem for the rock garden. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 50c.

### Anchusa, of Rich Blue with Sturdy Stems

#### ANCHUSA-Summer Forget-Me-Not

2236 New Annual Blue Bird. Sow in spring to bloom all summer. Two feet high: 18-inch sprays are covered with deep blue flowers. Pkt. 25c; ½ oz. 50c.
2237 Capensis. Two feet tall; forget-me-not blue flowers. Pkt. 25c; ½ oz. 50c.
2238 Blue Bonnet (Italica Dropmore). Perennial. Pale blue. grows 6 feet tall. Pick seed pods for continual bloom. Pkt. 25c; 1 oz. \$1.00.

#### **BEGONIA**—Bedding Varieties

Very attractive flower for both pot and bedding use, and should be grown for shady borders. Perennial.

2760 Queen of Hollywood. Ever-blooming coral, 18 inches. Pkt. 25c.

2756 Prima Donna. Soft rose, 1 foot. Pkt. 25c.

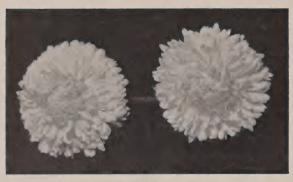
2757 Deep Scarlet. Pkt. 25c.

2758 Snow Queen. Pure white. Pkt. 25c.

#### Begonia—Tuberous-Rooted

2779 Giant. Single and semi-double flowers in mixed colors of yellow, orange, scarlet, pink and white. Flowers often are 3 to 4 inches across. Shady and semi-shady location needed, may be grown in pots indoors. Blooming plants can be grown from seed the first year if started indoors during February and March. Bulbs will last for years. Pkt. 35c; Special Pkt.

73c.
2778 Camellia-flowered. Large double and semi-double flowers in colors of primrose, orange and red shades. Pkt. 5.0c;
Special Pkt. 5.1.00.



#### BELLIS PERENNIS-English Daisy

Monstrosa, hardy perennial, 6 inches. Giant flowers of an improved strain. Blooms in 90 days from seed.

2781 Fraser's Super Giant, White.
2782 Fraser's Super Giant, Rose-pink.
2783 Fraser's Super Giant, Blended Mix.
Any of the above: Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. \$1.00.
2784 Fraser's Versi-color Giant. A novelty, variegated; white with rose-penciled petals. Pkt. 25c.
2785 Fraser's Lilac Gem. New color. Pkt. 25c.
2790 George Washington American Giants, Mixed. New and interesting. Pkt. 25c.

### AQUILEGIAS. A New Fragrant Strain

(Seed takes 40 days to germinate)





Brachycome Iberidifolia (Swan River Daisy)

#### AQUILEGIA-Columbine

Aquilegias are among our most beautiful and useful perennials, either for border display or cutting. They have refined beauty and graceful habit, are easy to raise from seed, and will succeed well in semi-shady places and mixed soil. Blooms during Spring and early Summer in the East.

2773 Long Spurred Hybrids, Mixed. This is the Elliott strain. conceded to be the finest grown. Colors are mixed, stems extra long, fine for cutting. Pki. 25c; 1/8 oz. 65c.

2769 Long Spurred Hybrids Mixed. A splendid mixture. Pkt. 15c: Special Pkt. 25c.

#### BRACHYCOME IBERIDIFOLIA-

#### Swan River Daisy

A charming annual deserving greater popularity. The plants which grow about 10 inches high, are covered with small Cineraria-like blooms in shades of blue and lavender.

2909 Mixed Colors. They like a sunny location and bloom through most of the summer. Fine for pot culture as well as the garden. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 25c; ½ oz. 40c.

#### **ARCTOTIS**

2246 Grandis. Half hardy annual bearing daisy-like flower Color pearl white with mauve center. Height 2 feet. Pk 10c; 1/4 oz. 25c.

2247 Hybrids Mixed. New. Flowers in many shades of pink, rose, yellow, etc., with a dark disc in the center. A half-hardy annual about 1 foot high. Free flowering. Pkt. 25c.

#### ANEMONE-Windflower

This lovely flower may be grown from seed as well as bulbs. Sow seed in the fall or spring in beds or flats.

St. Brigid. Large flowers, double and semi-double, in mixed colors. Pkt. 25c; 1/8 oz. 75c; 1/4 oz. \$1.35.

His Excellency. Bright scarlet. Pkt. 25c; 1/8 oz. 85c; 1/4 oz.

French Single Coronaria. Large single flowers. Pkt. 15c; 1/4 oz. 40c; 1 oz. \$1,25.

#### BALSAM-Lady's Slipper

A tender annual preferring partial shade. Flowers both single and double, in bright colors and variations, are wax-like and very attractive. The individual blossoms floating in a dish of water exhibit beauty to best advantage.

2251 Improved Double Camelia Flowered. In its extraordinary size, perfect form and brilliant colors, this fine strain of balsam surpasses all others. Height 18 inches. Pkt. 10c; 1/4 oz. 25c.

2252 Double Bush Flowering. New. Compact dwarf plant with the blossoms at the ends of the stems so that they are not hidden by the foliage. Pkt. 25c; 1/4 oz. 80c.

#### FRAGRANT COLUMBINE, ARIZONA

(Golden Trumpet Longissima)

2770 This Columbine is a native of Arizona and has spurs on it 6 to 7 inches long of the most beautiful clear daffodil yellow. It will grow in partial shade or full sun. There is nothing like it in the Columbine family. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c.



Sheets of Lavender Blue Bloom A Field of Blue Lupine in the Foothills of California

### California Native WILD FLOWER SEE

There is a real treat in store for those who have never planted California Wild-flowers. They will add charm and distinctiveness to your garden. Few wild-flowers rival their beauty in the native and when brought under cultivation they are larger and even more colorful and attractive. They are romantic and beautiful and require little water and care. Sow seed in the fall and spring during the rains.

#### CALIFORNIA PENTSTEMON

2035 Rare Pentstemon spectabilis. "Blue Pentstemon." Perennial, 4 to 5 feet high. Flowers in long spikes, and the richest\_combination of blue and royal purple. Pkl. 25c: 1/8 oz. 50c.

#### CALIFORNIA BLAZING STAR

2025 Bartonia Aureau—Blazing Star. A very desirable golden yellow flower entirely hardy in all parts of the country. Pkt. 10c; oz. 50c.

#### CALIFORNIA CREAM CUPS

2040 Platystemon Californicus. Butter-like flowers of light yellow. Plants grown in the open are rather spreading to 9 inches tall, forming carpet of soft yellow. They are at their best in sandy or gritty soil. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 50c.

#### FRASER'S CALIFORNIA

#### ANNUAL WILDFLOWER MIXTURES

Especially adapted to beds and areas that receive little care, or to some unused corner that would be brighter with these flashing colors. They will do well in shrubbery, borders and along wooded walks or in sections of the garden set aside for wild or natural plantings; also very effective for the rock garden.

They contain Wild Snapdragons, several Lupinus. Baby Blue Eyes, Wild Coreopsis, Indian and Pink Paint Brush, Evening Primrose, Tidy Tips, Wild Heliotrope, California Poppies, Gilias, Godetias, Blue Bells, Buttercups, Blazing Stars and many others.

2005 Shady Blend. Six select varieties for partly shaded areas.

2006 Yellow-Gold Shades. A beautiful blend of orange, yellow and cream.

Blue and Purple Shades. A blend of blue, purple and lavender colors

General Mixture. A mixture of choice varieties for all-around planting.

Any of above packets: Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 25c; oz. 75c. 2010 For all places. A mixture of 20 distinct varieties. Pkt. 25c; oz. 75c; ¼ lb. \$2.00; lb. \$6.00.

#### CALIFORNIA TIDY TIPS

2036 Layia elegans (Tidy Tips). One of California's most dainty wildflowers. Yellow daisy flowers with white-tipped dainty wildflow petals. Pkt. 25c. ildflowers.

#### GILLIA-Queen Ann's Thimble

2028 Gillia Capitata. This annual grows 1½ to 2½ feet high, of slender branching habit. Flowers are of lavender blue, borne on long stem and somewhat like Scabiosa in form. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 40c; 1 oz. 75c.

#### GILLIA-Birdseve

2029 Gillia Tricolor. Dainty and captivating violet-like flower. Petals tipped with lavender blue, running through cream, deep purple and gold in mixed shades. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 40c.

#### SAND VERBENA

2021 Abronia Umbellata. Thrives in sandy soil and is at its best near the seashore. Its gay, rosy-pink flower will form a beautiful carpet over sandy patches where other flowers and ground covers refuse to grow. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 30c.

### **GOLDEN WEST** CALIFORNIA SEA DAHLIA

2083 Leptosyne Maritima. Specie of native dahlla growing along the coast line. Flowers are daisy-like, 3 to 4 inches across, with bright yellow petals surrounding a golden disc. Hardy in mild climates.



2051 California Blue Lupines, Above. Pkt. 15c. 2036 California Yellow Tidy Tips. Daisy in picture. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 50r.

#### CALIFORNIA LUPINE

2051 California Mountain Lavender Blue. (Lupines Nanus.) Annual California native lupine, dwarf growing about 12 inches. Fragrant bright blue flowers with contrasting purple and white marks. Pkt. 15c; oz. 50c.

#### NEMOPHILA—Baby Blue Eyes

2472 Insignia Blue. Hardy annual—6 inches. Enjoys a somewhat shaded moist situation. Lovely cup-shaped, sky-blue flowers with white eyes. Pkt. 15c;  $V_2$  oz. 40c. 2473 Choice Blend. A mix of blues, lilacs, purples and white. Pkt. 15c;  $V_2$  oz. 35c.

#### CACTUS SEEDS

2081 Death Valley Cactus. A fine assortment of California desert types suitable for growing in bowls or developing for your cactus garden. Pkt. 25c.

#### RARE MAMALLARA CACTUS

2082 Small blooming types grown by one of California's leading experts. Pkt. 35c; Special Pkt. 75c.

### CALIFORNIA POPPIES

### in generous Sunset Rainbow colors

When the first Padres came into California they found dainty cups of gold growing over the mountainsides and through the valleys. The common wild variety (Eschscholtzia aurantaca) is a native of several western states and stateflower of California. The new control of the part of the flowers of the state of the color range and with larger and the color is a state of the color is a state of the color is an expensive this vastly improved strain and are easily grown and practically free from pests. They are perfectly hardy in the eastern states; we have known them to self-seed for five years as far north as Massachusetts. For cut flowers cut the blossoms or large buds in the morning.

#### CALIFORNIA POPPIES

2061 Scarlet Shades. Includes a new deep scarlet of the tulip-flowered type.

2062 Orange Shade. Beautiful fluted and double types in rich orange

2063 Crimson Shades. Rich crimsons and fluted types.

2064 Yellow Shades. Golden yellow shades and new fringed types.

2065 Pink Shades Bright to delicate shades of nink

2066 Carmine Shades. Deep carmine shades and lovely frilled types.

2067 New Bronze Shades. Two toned frilled and fluted types of orange crimson outside and inside of petals golden. 2068 White Shades. Very popular pure white effect.

Any of above: Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 40c; ½ oz. 70c; oz. \$1.25.

Any or above: Pkt. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 40c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 70c; oz. \$1.25. 2069 Poppyland Sunset Mixture. These poppies are the direct descendants of the wild poppies abounding in the Monterey Bay district. New improved colors of more vivid and striking shades than we have ever offered. Pkt. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 35c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 50c; oz. \$1.00.

2078 This is the true California Poppy, Eschscholtzia Aurantiaca, which is California State Flower. Orange blossoms and finely cut, silvery foliage. 1 to 1½ feet high. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 35c.

#### CALIFORNIA BLUE BELL

2041 Phacelia Viscida. A most lovely, hardy annual. The blooms are saucer shaped and of the most brilliant blue. The plants are a foot or more high. Pkt. 25c; oz. \$1.50.

2037 Phacelia Campanularia. Grows 1 to 1½ feet high. Intensely vivid dark lobelia blue flowers borne profusely in clusters. One of the quickest annuals to flower from seed clusters. One of the quicke sowing. Pkt. 15c; 1/2 oz. 50c.

2038 Wild Heliotrope—Phacelia Tanacetifolia. Annual, lavender blue, used extensively for bee food. Grows 1½ to 2 feet tall. Pkt. 15c; oz. 50c.

2039 Phacelia Whitlavia. Annual grows 1 to 1½ feet; covered with bell-shaped deep purplish-blue flowers with creamy throat. Blooms continuously for many weeks, will thrive in partly shaded moist places. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 30c; oz. 50c.

#### California Blue Bell





A Field of California Poppies

#### **OUANTITY PRICES** . . . True California Poppies

2078 Eschscholtzia aurantiaca. For planting large areas to the true California Poppies. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 35c; 1 oz. 50c; 4 oz. \$1.50; ½ lb. \$2.50; 1 lb. \$4.00; Postage

#### CALIFORNIA POPPY—DOUBLE VARIETIES, 1 ft.

2073 2074

Double Carmine Queen, Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 60c.
Double Orange. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 60c.
Double Pink. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 60c.
Double Rose. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 60c.
Double White. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 60c.
Double Choice Mixed. Pkt. 20c; Special Pkt. 50c.

#### CALIFORNIA DESERT FLOWER THRIVES IN DROUTH

#### GODETIA-Satin Flower

(Plant Seed Year Around)

Of all the hardy garden annuals, few are more lovely than the Godetia. It is exceedingly showy in beds and masses, and the satiny flowers last well after cutting. Sow the seed in the open ground in the fall for early bloom, or in the spring until June for later flowering. Godetias do best in a well-drained and rather poor soil.

#### GODETIA-Double Varieties (Gladiolus Flowered)

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of distinct and graceful habit, producing long sprays of
beautiful large, double flowers, which are fine for cutting
and excellent for the border. Height, 2 feet.

984 Carminea. Lovely soft pink with a carmine suffusion in
the center. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 35c.

985 Cherry Red. A beautiful rich color. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 35c.

986 Mauve. An attractive shade of clear pinkish mauve.

Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 35c.

987 Rosy Morn. A beautiful bright pink color. Pkt. 15c; ½

oz. 35c.

#### GODETIA—Upright Single Varieties

981 Duke of York. Satiny crimson-carmine. Height 18 inches and splendid for cutting. Pkt. 15c; 1/8 oz. 35c.

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980 Kelvedon Glory (New). Glowing salmon orange. A fine bedding and cutting variety. Height 18 inches. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 45c.

978 Lord Roberts. Darkest glowing red with white base; very fine, of compact habit. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 35c.

983 Purity. Glistening satiny white. Excellent cut flower; height 18 inches. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 45c.

Rosamond. Large glossy pink; compact. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 35c.

982 Sybil Sherwood. Bright salmon-pink softened by an undefined edging of white; 18 inches. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 50c.

979 Mixed Fraser's Singles. Splendid mixture of brilliant colors. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 25c; ¼ oz. 40c; ½ oz. 75c; oz. \$1.50.

## NEW GIANT CALENDULAS

### Universal Garden Flowers

#### FRASER'S DOUBLE CALENDULAS

The Calendula is one of our best annuals for house decoration and the flowers are most effective when massed in b borders. Sow in March, April or May, in open ground.

410 Fraser's California Improved Orange King. A splendid Calendula with enormous orange flowers, perfectly double and beautifully formed. This is the strain which is now so much grown for the cut-flower market. Pkt. 15c; 1/2 oz. 50c; oz. 90c.

411 Fraser's California Improved Yellow. A charming variety, bearing very large double flowers of a pleasing clear lemon-yellow. An admirable companion to Fraser's Orange King. Pkt. 15c: 12 oz. 50c; oz. 50c.

414 Sensation (Campfire). Double orange, dark center. Pkt. 15c; 1/2 oz. 50c; oz. 90c.

415 Ball's Gold. Deep golden yellow, long stemmed and large flower with light center. Stem, size, color in this are outstanding. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 50c; oz. 90c.

416 Radio. A pretty variety with beautifully quilled petals; flowers of fine form and of a very rich orange color. Pkt. 15c: ½ oz. 50c: oz. 90c.

417 Radio Golden Beam. New, ric petals. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 25c; oz. 50c. rich golden vellow, quilled

418 Chrysantha. A distinct type of Calendula. The large double Buttercup-yellow flowers with broad drooping petals somewhat resemble a Chrysanthemum, and the long stout stems make it an ideal variety for cutting. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz.

#### FRASER'S CALENDULA COLLECTION

Number 421

packets, one packet each of the following separate colors (90c value) for only

407 Apricot Queen. A brilliant new Calendula with large, broad-petalled blooms of a bright apricot, deepening toward the center. It has a brown eye. Pkt. 15c. 414 Campfire (Sensation). Extremely large flowers of a beautiful and rich orange color with an iridescent scarlet sheen. Gives a rich and charming effect. Pkt. 15c.

418 Chrysantha or Sunshine. A very lovely Calendula with drooping, long, wide petals, giving the flower a globular appearance by curving downward. The color is a clear Buttercup yellow. Has long stems and is as fine for cutting as for bedding. Pkt. 15c.

A22 Ball's White. A distinct new white striped type. Giant flowered, light eye. Pkt. 15c.
408 Orange Dazzler. Perfectly double, ball-shaped flowers composed of attractively frilled, golden orange flower petals. Pkt. 15c.
415 Ball's Golden Yellow. A bright golden yellow color. The largest Calendula grown. Pkt. 15c.

406 Calendula-Orange Fantasy, Pkt. 25c; oz. \$1.00.



#### CALENDULAS, BIGGER AND SHAGGIER

"A Rare Break In An Old Favorite"

419 Shaggy or Roman Gold. The tips of the petals of this variety are fringed, glying it a distinctive and attractive appearance. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 50c; oz. 90c.

409 New Art Shades. A mixture of attractive and uncommon shades of apricot, orange and cream. Particularly useful for cutting. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 50c; oz. 75c.

412 Orange Sunshine. Semi-double, orange, and of upright growth. We find this identical with the variety Chrysantha. Pkt. 25c; ½ oz. 40c; oz. 75c.

420 Golden Splendor Mixture. Embraces all of the Calendulas listed above except the Art Shades. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz.



2271 Calliopsis. Golden Crown, "The Pilgrims Flower."

Apricot Queen. Rich Apricot with a finely contrasting vn center. Has large broad-petalled blooms. Pkt. 15c; brown center. Ha

414 Campfire Sensation. Extremely large flowers of a beautiful and rich orange color with an iridescent scarlet sheen. Gives a rich and charming effect. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 50c; oz. 90c. 418 Chrysantha or Sunshine. Has large double Buttercupyellow flowers with drooping, long, wide petals. Has long, stout stems and is fine for cutting. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 50c; oz. 90c.

422 Ball's White. A creamy white of Apricot type. We have an improved strain of this variety that comes 75% true. A filtle should be grown for variety. Pkt. 15c: ½ 25.50c; oz. 50c.

408 Orange Dazzler. Perfectly double, ball-shaped flowers composed of attractively frilled, golden orange flower petals. Pkt. 15c; 1/2 oz. 50c; oz. 90c.

415 Ball's Golden Yellow. Bright golden yellow, long stemmed with light center. One of the largest Calendulas grown. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 50c; oz. 90c.

424 Yellow Colossal. The biggest Calendula in the world. Sunshine type with larger, more full double flowers, of more compact and better form, with long, loose gracefully curved outer petals and shorter incurved inner petals. Plants grow 18 inches high and are loaded with double, clear bright yellow flowers 4½ inches across. Fine for cut flowers, edgings and border. Pkt. (100 seeds) 25c; 225 seeds 50c; 500 seeds \$1.00.

#### CALLIOPSIS-Golden Crown

Award of Merit "All America" Trial Selections 2271 This outstanding novelty has been selected by American specialists as being worthy of their Award of Merit in the All-America Trials. It is hardy and easy to grow, producing an abundance of bloom on plants about 2 feet in height. The flowers are larger than those of any other Calliopsis and of perfect symmetrical form. The color, rich golden yellow, is made the more arresting by the contrast of a shining maroon central zoning. We recommend this novelty with every confidence and predict a demand equal to that of any introduction of recent years. Pkt. 25c; ½ oz. 50c; oz. \$1.50. Award of Merit "All America" Trial Selections

#### ANNUAL CANTERBURY BELLS-

#### Campanula

New Annual, single Canterbury Bell, blooming in less than

Flowers in autumn from spring sowing, or in the spring when sown in the fall. Hardy, biennial, single bell type, height

1135 Rose. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 40c.

1136 Dark blue. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 40c.

1137 Light blue. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 40c.

1138 White. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 40c.

1139 Mixed. Pkt. 10c; Special Pkt. 30c.

#### BI-ANNUAL CUP AND SAUCER BELL TYPE-

#### Calycanthema

Hardy biennial. Height 2 feet.

1165 Rose. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.

1166 Dark blue. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.

1167 Light blue. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.

1168 White. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.

1169 Mixed. Pkt. 10c; Special Pkt. 40c.



428 Candytuft-Hyacinth-flowered. White. Pkt. 15c.

#### ANNUAL CANDYTUFT UMBELLATA

The annual Candytufts are of fine habit and profuse bloomers. They are easily grown and bloom quickly from seed. For a succession of bloom they should be sown at intervals. For massing in flower beds and borders and for edging they are admirably adapted, while for cutting the flowers are greatly prized. Height 12 inches.

435 Carmine. Bright carmine rose. Pkt. 15c.

434 Crimson. Rich deep shade. Pkt. 15c.

431 Albida. Pure white. Pkt. 15c.

Flesh-Pink. Delicate pink. Pkt. 15c.

432 Lavender. Delicate rosy-lavender. Pkt. 15c.

430 Rose Cardinal. Brilliant deep rosy-red, one of the most effective for bedding. Pkt. 15c.

Collection. One each of the above six sorts, 75c.

429 Finest Mixed. All colors mixed. Pkt. 15c; 1/2 oz. 50c;

428 Giant Hyacinth-Flowered or Improved Empress. A won-derfully improved strain of the Empress Candytuft and quite distinct, bearing very large, bold spikes of snowy white flow-ers, very effective plant for beds or borders; fine for cutting. Pkt. 25c; ½ oz. 30c; 1 oz. \$1.50.

### Carnations in 90 Days

#### FRASER'S CATALINA CARNATION

ENFANT DE NICE (Improved)

2809 Carnation Enfant de Nice is the result of a cross between Carnation Chabaud's Giant Improved and Carnation Perpetual. The plants are of robust, upright habit, with long, strong stalks bearing flowers 2½ to 3 inches in diameter. This strain is magnificent and is so far, the last word in annual Carnations. The color comes about 75 per cent true from seed and about 90 per cent of the plants come double. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 60c; ½, oz. 52.50.



2804 Thousand Beauties Carnation. Pkt. 15c.

#### CARNATION—Fraser's Beauty Strain

(Improved Chabaud's Giants)

If planted inside very early they will bloom in five months from seed. Late spring and fall plantings produce vigorous plants that bloom early the following season. Sun ripened seeds produce plants of exceptional vigor, 1½ feet tall, with upright habit and from ten to twenty stalks, producing flowers of large size and doubleness, resembling those grown by the florists in the greenhouse.

2792 Yellow. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.

2793 Cardinal-Red. Pkt. 15c: Special Pkt. 50c.

2794 Crimson. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.

2795 Deep Rose. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c. 2796 Shell-Pink, Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.

2797 Salmon-Rose. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.

2798 White. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.

2799 Fraser's California Beauty Mix. Six colors, including all above. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 40c; 1/4 oz. \$2.00.

2802 Fraser's Penciled Beauties. Variegated variety. Mixed. Pkt. 20c; Special Pkt. 50c; 1/4 oz. \$2.50.

"Royal Coronation" Carnation "Pinks". Easily grown from seed. We offer the finest seed obtainable, California grown. We offer two novelties this year, the double "Coronation" Carnation Pink and the single "Coronation" Carnation Pink. Large—many colored.

928 Mixed Colors. Single. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 60c.

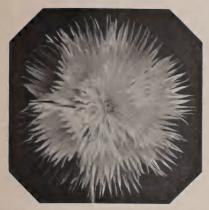
929 Mixed Colors, Double, Pkt. 35c; Special Pkt. 75c.

#### EASY TO GROW FROM SEED, VERY FRAGRANT

2801 Old-Fashioned Carnation. Marguerite mixed. Smaller than the present day carnation, very fragrant and prolific bloomer. Flowers are double and semi-double, of exquisite color. Pkt. 10c; Special Pkt. 40c; ½ oz. \$1.00.

2803 Carnation, Alwoodii Hardy Cottage Strain. (Half Carnation, Half Pink, Double and Single Mixed.) The plants are of stocky habit and do not require staking. Mixed colors.

### The Popular Centaureas



2311 Centaurea Imperialis-Amaranth Red. Pkt. 15c.

#### GIANT SWEET SULTAN

Centaurea Imperialis. An indispensable annual for cutting or garden display. Sun ripened seed is "free flowering," long season and produces giant double flowers on long, strong stems. Colors are simply beautiful and flowers sweetly fragrant.

2311 Fraser's Amaranth Red. A new color, outstanding for exhibition purpose

2312 Fraser's Brilliant Rose. 2313 Fraser's Deep Lavender. 2314 Fraser's Purple. 2315 Fraser's White.

2316 Yellow (Sauveolens). Rich, yellow, a glorious combination with the Blue Batchelor Button when used in bouquets. Any of above colors: Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 50c. 2319 Fraser's Blended Mix. All of above separate colors mixed. Pkt. 15c; 1/4 oz. 35c; 1 oz. \$1.25.

#### NEW BLUE-BOY CORNFLOWER

2307 Bachelor's Button. Centaurea Cyanus "Blue Boy." Famous Blue Boy Blue. Very double, extra deep blue flowers of enormous size. Superior to many other strains. Pkt. 25c; 14 oz. 51:50.

#### DOUBLE CORNFLOWER or Bachelor Button

CENTAUREA CYANUS-Hardy Annual-21/2 feet.

A flower that few gardeners care to be without, they are of easiest culture, showy in the garden and splendid for cutting. They ask little and give much. Plants grow 2 to 3 feet tall and like a rich soil.

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Fraser's Blue. (Florist Blue.)
Fraser's Marcon. (Black Boy.)
Fraser's White. (Snow Man.)
Fraser's Rose Pink. (Pinkie.)
Fraser's Deep Red. (Red Boy.)
Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 50c; oz. 90c. 2304 2306

2309 Fraser's Blended Mix. All above colors mixed. Pkt. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 25c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c; oz. 75c.

2307 Centaurea Cyanus-Blue Boy. Pkt. 25c.





Chinese Woolflower in a new color.

### Celosia, with Rich Crimson Combs

2282 Celosia Childsii—Old Rosy Red. A most beautiful artshade is this new color in Celosias, one that lends itself to perfection in floral arrangements. Old Rosy Red, with a toning of russet-orange, best describes the soft but pronounced color of these blossoms. The flower heads, like balls of wool, are on good stems, easy to arrange in vases and baskets. The branching plants grow two feet high, and, like other Celosias, are very showy in the garden. Plant them in a sunny place. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 50c.

#### CELOSIA CHILDSII

2283 Chinese Woolflower. Mixed colors. heads resembling huge balls of silky wool set at the top of stems averaging 18 inches in length. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 30c; ½ oz. 50c.

#### CELOSIA CRISTATA—Cockscomb

This variety, with the cockscomb form, gave these plants their name. The heads are very thick and of rich velvety shades of crimson, rose and yellow.

2292 Fraser's Dwarf Empress Improved. Height 10 inches. Heads of purplish-red. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.

2233 Fraser's New Velvet Velour. Mixed colors of yellow, rose, crimson. Height 18 inches. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.

2294 Black Beauty. Royal Velvet Novelty, 3 feet tall. Needs a rich soil. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c.

#### FRASER'S NEW LILLIPUT FEATHERED CELOSIA

Dwarf varieties. Plants grow about 12 inches, compact. Good for pot culture and very striking when used in solid beds. 2284 Fire Flame. Flame red shades. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt.

2285 Afterglow. Chrome yellow. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 50c.

#### CELOSIA, OSTRICH FEATHERED PLUME

Feathered (Plumosa). Tall varieties—2 to 3 feet tall. For grace and dignity the Plumosa type is remarkable among Celosias. The plants display numerous stately, elegant plumes. They are impressive in the garden and are equally striking when dried and used for winter bouquets.

2287 Ruby Plume. Red shades. Pkt. 15c; 1/4 oz. 50c.

2288 Golden Plume. Golden yellow shades. Pkt. 15c; 1/4 oz.

2289 Plumosa Magnifica Mixed. A blend of the above two shades. Pkt. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 40c.

## CHRYSANTHEMUMS, You Can Grow from Seed

#### CHRYSANTHEMUM PAINTED DAISY

#### "Merry Mixture"

2349 A surprising blend of entirely new shades and color combinations in annual Chrysanthemums. This wonderful new strain of carinatum Hybrids contains a very wide range of various tones running through purple, scarlet, orange, salmon, rose, yellow, white, which are all beautifully zoned round the dark disks with small yellow edges. These zones differ both in color and size to a remarkable degree and comprise many different shades of deep purple, marcon, copper and orange. The very free flowering 2 feet high plants are early blooming, coming into flower two months from the time of sowing; from April until July they give a truly amazing display. As a cut flower this lovely Chrysanthemum will prove of outstanding value. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 40c.

2341 Double Carinatum Hybrida Mixed. Sixty per cent true to type. Bright cheerful shades of purple, scarlet, yellow and white. One of the best. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 40c.



2349 Annual Painted Daisy. "Merry Mixture." Colors.

#### CASCADE CHRYSANTHEMUMS

#### from Seed

2372 Chrysanthemum Japonicum — "Japanese Cascade." Single-flowered, mixed colors. Very hardy, of easy culture, blooming the same autumn from seed. Pinch two or three times for a good shaped bush, and stake. When properly cultivated will hang as long as 4 to 6 feet, and be 2 feet wide. Pkt. 50c; Special Pkt. 51.00.

#### CHEIRANTHUS

#### GOLDEN SIBERIAN WALLFLOWER

Hardy Biennial-12 inches.

2487 Fraser's Choice Gold Blend. An early perennial with rich, velvety orange flowers; never grows more than a foot high; a distinct addition to rockeries and for border or bedding effects. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.

#### FIREFLY PLANT

514 Cuphea (Firefly). For modern gardens, Cuphea Firefly has solved the problem of finding a plant which is dwarf, compact, neat and showy in habit. A real ball of fire when in full bloom. It blossoms throughout the summer months. A perfect subject for flower pots, window boxes, or as a border or edging plant. Pkt. 15c.

#### CINERARIA-WELL-KNOWN STRAINS

2391 Grandiflora Semi-Dwarf—Pedigreed Mixed. An ultra fancy strain. Pkt. 50c; 1/64 oz. \$2.00; 1/32 oz. \$4.00; 1/16 oz. \$8.00.

2397 Howard & Smith Strain. Very fine. Pkt. 50c; 1/64 oz. \$2.25; 1/32 oz. \$4.25; 1/16 oz. \$8.00.

2333 Multiflora Nana (Hybride strain). Mixed. Pkt. 35c; 1/64 oz. \$1.00; 1/32 oz. \$2.00; 1/16 oz. \$4.00.

2394 Fraser's Giants. An exceptionally good strain. Well colored. Pkt. 25c; 1/64 oz. \$2.00; 1/32 oz. \$4.00; 1/16 oz. \$8.00.

2392 Stellata Hybrids. Especially desirable for making a display in the garden. Forms large plants 2 to 3 feet high, covered with hundreds of star-shaped flowers. This seed is carefully selected and will be found to contain a large percentage of blue and pink shades. Pkt. 15c; 1/64 oz. \$1.00; 1/32 oz. \$2.00; 1/6 oz. \$3.00.

#### CLARKIA ELEGANS—Butterfly Flower

They grow easily from seed and should be started in cold frame in March or in the open ground in May, except in California or other very mild sections where they can be sown in fall or early spring. They enjoy partial shade, but will accommodate themselves to either sun or shade.

2408 Enchantress. A beautiful soft shade of salmon-rose, very double and excellent for cutting. Develops best in a cool climate and flowers six weeks from sowing. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.

2409 Fraser's Double Choice. Mix of rainbow colors. Pkt. 15c; 1/2 oz. 60c; 1 oz. \$1.00,

#### CANARY BIRD VINE

2852 Canary Bird Vine (Tropaeolum Canariense). Cine. Light yellow, bird-like, fringed flowers, on rapid climber; sow January to May. Gremination period 10 days. Ptt. 15c.

#### CANNA

515 Canna Seed. Vivid pinks, yellows, oranges and reds, useful for foliage and flower mass effect; flower first year from seed, which soak; 3 feet; sow January to May. Germination period two weeks. Crozy's Hybrids Mixed. Pkt. 1sc.

#### **COLEUS**

Tender Perennial-21/2 feet.

2411 Pyrenes Giani, Mixed. A most beautiful foliage plant for beds or pot culture. Leaves are gorgeously variegated with many rich colors, and never any two alike. Develops most colorfully in sunny position, excepting in hot interior countries where partial shade should be provided. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c.

2412 Coleus. New Large Lace Leaved, Rainbow Mixed. Ornamental foliage plant for pots or outdoors, with large varicolored, velvety leaves in partial or full shade; 1 to 2 feet; sow February to May. Germination period 10 to 15 days. Large Lacy Leaved; Rainbow Mixed. Pkts. 25c.



## COSMOS from July to Frost



467 Cosmos, Early Double Sensationa, Mixed. Extra early double flowers in colors of white, pink, and crimson, measuring 4½ to 5 inches across. Pkt. 25c.

#### MAGNIFICENT NEW COSMOS

Extra-Early Sensation

Sensation is the earliest of all Cosmos, blooming several Sensation is the early-flowering type which in turn flowers considerably earlier than the original late-flowering varieties. Sensation gives a marvelous display throughout the summer months. Has extra-large flowers borne profusely on vigorous

472 Pinkie. Gorgeous well-formed blooms of a bright rose-pink color. Pkt. 20c; Special Pkt. 75c.

471 Purity, Elegant large white petals surrounding a small yellow center cushion. Pkt. 20c; Special Pkt. 75c. 466 Sensation, Mixed. This embraces the above two varieties. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 40c; ¼ oz. 50c.

#### COSMOS . . . EXTRA EARLY

Annual. For cutting and display, 5 to 6 feet, July to October. ANOTHER MUCH FAVORED ANNUAL SUPPLYING THE LATE SUMMER AND FALL GARDENS WITH QUANTITIES OF ARTISTIC-SHAPED FLOWERS WANTED FOR CUTTING PURPOSES.

The seeds can be sown in open ground about the middle of June in mild sections and in March and April in the hot bed or cold frame in colder sections of the country thinning the germinating plants to three inches apart. When they are transplanted, after the ground is thoroughly warm, they should stand two feet apart. Cultivate frequently but lightly for best results if the tops are pinched out when the plants are about ten inches high the plants will become more bushy and compact in growth.

461 Fraser's Early Pink Cherokee. Mammoth flowering type color like the beautiful single Cherokee Rose. Pkt. 15c; color li

462 Fraser's Early Red Cherokee. Mammoth flowering. Bri red like the well known Red Cherokee Rose. Pkt. 15c;

463 Fraser's Early White Cherokee. Mammoth flowered, a pure white like the White Cherokee Rose. Pkt. 15c; 1/4 oz. 25c. 464 Fraser's Color Harmony Mix. A choice blend of all above colors. Pkt. 10c; 1/4 oz. 25c; 1 oz. 75c.

#### **GOLDEN YELLOW COSMOS**

465 Fraser's Klondike Gold. A late single, suitable for Southern States only. A profusion of glistening tangerine gold flowers covering plants 5 feet high. Fine for cutting. Like full sun. Any above Pkts. 15c each; 1/4 oz. 50c; 1 oz. \$1.25.

#### **GIANT COSMOS**

Late Single Tall Varieties

The tall, Autumn flowering Cosmos with large, single blooms. Very vigorous grower. Height 6 to 7 feet. Flowering Sept.-Oct.

486 Autumn Giant Pink. Beautiful shell pink.
487 Autumn Giant Crimson. Beautiful deep red.
488 Autumn Giant White,
489 Autumn Giant Mixed. Mixture of each color.
Pkt. 15c; 1/4 oz. 25c; 1/2 oz. 40c.

#### DOUBLE CRESTED COSMOS

Flowers are very beautiful and when cut are better keepers than the single. This is a very fine strain producing about 60 per cent double flowers. Free flowering plants growing 3 to 4 feet tall, somewhat lower than the single

473 Crimson. Pkt. 25c; 1/8 oz. 50c; 1/4 oz. 90c.

474 Pink. Pkt. 25c; 1/8 oz. 50c; 1/4 oz. 90c.

475 White. Pkt. 25c; 1/8 oz. 50c; 1/4 oz. 90c.

476 Double Mixed. Pkt. 15c; 1/8 oz. 45c; 1/4 oz. 85c.

#### EARLY ORANGE FLARE

468 This is the early variety and the first gold winner for the All-American selection for 1935. Blooms in four months from seed, has a Marigold-like foliage with beautiful golden-orange Cosmos flowers. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 40c; 1/4 oz. 60c.

#### COREOPSIS

Hardy Perennial-2 feet.

One of the easiest grown and best liked of the hardy perennials; highly praised for cutting, very free flowering.

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2812 Fraser's Flora Plena. A recent introduction much prettier and more attractive than the single. Flowers are semi-double and clear gold. Pkt. 25c; ½ oz. 40c; ½ oz. 70c.

2813 Hazel Eyed Coreopsis (Auricula Superba). Far more attractive than the old single. A much deeper, richer golden yellow with each petal marked with hazel-brown spot at the base. Pkt. 25c; ½ oz. 60c; ½ oz. \$1.00.

#### CYNOGLOSSUM

Chinese Forget-Me-Nots Hardy Annual—2 feet.

2419 Fraser's Select. Fine for planting in California and southern states during fall months; in the East, in the spring, The flower branches are often 18 inches long and thickly set with large flowers of turquoise blue, deeper than the true forget-me-nots and larger. Pkt. 15c: 1/4 oz. 25c: 1/2 oz. 40c; 1 oz. 75c.

#### CYCLAMEN—For Greenhouse Starting

1231 Good pot and shade plant. Choice mixed. Pkt. 75c; 100 seeds \$3.50.















## Gorgeous GOURDS Galore

#### NEW and RARE ORNAMENTAL GOURDS. IN MIXTURES and SEPARATE VARIETIES

Gourds grow in most every section of the world, and we have gone to great expense to give our customers very selected and new varieties. Gourds will grow in the poorer soils because they do not go so much to vine and more to the fruit. They may be trained on trellises as ornamentals or used as ground covers. The fruit should be allowed to become ripe and hard before picking. After picking, scrub thoroughly clean and cover with varnish. It is becoming a great hobby all over the world to decorate by hand the hard shelled types. 2871 Salt and Pepper Gourd. This is a very small bottle gourd that can be used either for salt or pepper shakers. It is of the hard shelled variety. Grows about three inches in diameter, and four inches tall. Pkt. 15c.

2863 J. Raymond's Warted Hybrids. This is a novelty mixture of the finest colored warted types. Pkt. 25c.
2864 Crown of Thorns. (From Africa.) A most unusual gourd which needs no varnish. Has curved claws, not sharp, but very unusual. Pkt. 25c.

2865 Green Muranca. (From Guatemala.) Resembles an Indian war club. Pkt. 25c.

2870 Penguin or Bottle Gourd. (From Egypt.) This is a hard shelled type and can be painted black and white to resemble a penguin. Pkt. 25c.

2858 Turks Turban. (From Asia.) Very odd and ornamental. Top red and center portion cream with green and white stripes. Pit. 15c.

2856 Many Sorts Mixed. A good selection of all the best types of gourds. Pkt. 15c.

2857 Small Decorative Types Mixed. The best of the small striped types, such as egg, spoon, pomegranate and pear-shaped. Pkt. 15c.

#### CURE YOUR GOURDS AT HOME

Hard-shell gourds should be allowed to ripen on the vine. Do not pick them until the stem turns to brown wood. Then hang them up to dry further in some place such as a garage or other sheltered spot where they can get air.

They will begin losing their green color, large spots of brown will appear on the surface. Just let them alone until they are all brown and thoroughly dry.

After that they may be cut into shapes such as you desire, or used intact. They should be wiped off and covered with floor wax, varnish or shellac. Or soak them overnight in water, scrape off the skin, and polish while wet with a kitchen cleaner powder and dry wool. Gourds so treated will last indefinitely.

After drying they can be cut, decorated with paint, or designs may be burnt in.

#### PERUVIAN GOURDS

It is astonishing how these hard-shelled Gourds so utterly diverse in color, form, and size, can still be made to look so beautiful when carved and painted. We have a collection of six varieties in mixture from Peru with a shell one-half inch thick and very hard. It can be carved to three distinct depths, especially the Nzele type. The carved Gourds have a sale value as high as \$7.00 to \$10.00 each, according to the artistic carving of designs upon them.

A Mixture of Six Varieties for Gourd Hobbyists, 50c Pkt.

#### Super Gigantic Gourds, Mixed

2875 These Gourds grow to an enormous size, some thirty inches through, some four feet long. In this mixture such varieties as the Siamese Bottle, Kenyi Bottle from Africa, Long Handled Dipper, and Brazilian Long Neck Bottle, and the Great Big Zucca. They are all hard shelled types and are very ornamental. For painting designs on they are unequalled. They will grow in any country and are novelties of surprising merit. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c.

2859 Giant Hard-Shelled Gourds, Mixed. These contain the large acorn, large bottle calabash, pipe gourd, dipper or syphone, and the Hercules club gourds. Pkt. 15c.

#### ORNAMENTAL CORN

2855 Navajo Indian Corn. The seed of this ornamental Indian corn on the cob is most exquisite. The kernels are agatecolor, pure white, jet black and pink. When bunched with ornamental hangings or in a bowl with Gourds it is most fascinating. Pkt. 15c.

2862 Edible Gourd (New Guinea Butter Bean). The young fruits make an excellent dish when served after the manner of squash. If allowed to mature will grow to a length of 4 to 6 feet. Pkt. 15c; oz. 75c.











### Climbing and Trailing PLANTS

2895 Lathyrus Splendens. Perennial Sweet Pea, the real "Pride of California." A rapid growing, climbing pea, bearing large, deep Fuchsia-crimson flowers often measuring two inches across. It has no similarity to common perennial pea. Blooms all summer, roots extremely hardy, grows six feet high, foliage dying back and growing again the following year. The plants, when established, sell for 50c each. We consider this native perennial pea of California the best climbing novelty we have ever offered. Pkt, 25c. (Not hardy in the east.)

2859 Rare Orange Glory Vine (Thunbergia Gibsoni). A lovely new graceful climber for covering pillars and trellis work, or for growing in pots on small stakes. It has glistening green ivy-shaped foliage and flowers of the most brilliant glowing orange, a color found in no other flower. Pkt., 10 seeds for 25c.

#### IPOMOLAS, MORNING AND MOON GLORIES

2849 Scarlet O'Hara. Red Morning Glory. Popular for trellis, arbors, fences and so forth. They should be planted where they are to grow, in April or May, in well-dug rich soil. If seeds are soaked in luke warm water several hours until they show signs of swelling before planting there will be a better germination. Pkt. 25c.

Signs of swelling before planting there will be a better germination. Fr. 25c. 22845 Madame Butterfly or Mikado. This mammoth-flowering Japanese Morning Glory often measures more than four inches across in innumerable different colors which are entirely distinct from ordinary Morning Glorys. For pot culture, if the runners are pinched two or three times the plant will form a dwarf and compact shape bearing many gigantic flowers. Excellent for pot, window box. Pkt. 25c.

2844 Clark's Heavenly Blue Giant Improved Early Flowering. (New.) This splendid Moonflower has glorious large blooms measuring 4½ inches in diameter. They are an intense sky blue color shading to white in the throat. The blooms remain open until noon. Its extra early flowering habit makes it particularly valuable in sections where other Moonflowers are too late. We feel sure that our customers will be most favorably impressed with it for it truly is lovely. Pkt. 25c; ½, oz. \$1.00.
2843 Fraser's Big Heavenly Blue. Luxurious grower. Bears enormous flowers of clear sky-blue with white throat and glossy green foliage. Flowers all summer. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. \$1.00.

2840 Morning Glory, Fraser's Pearly White. This grand white Ipomea is a 12-foot annual climber, single plant selection from a sport of Heavenly Blue, so a fine companion variety. Early, large flowered, vigorous and a good bloomer. Start in pots and transplant for a good start. Pkt. 25c.

2882 Ipomea, White Moonflower, Mexican Giant Flowered. Flowers often measuring six inches across, pure white and very fragrant. Pkt. 25c.

#### CHINESE OUTDOOR ORCHIDS

Bletia (Bletilla). From China comes this fascinating and exotic gem among flowers. A true Orchid, yet perfectly at home in the soil of your gardens. They are hardy enough to grow out in the open in mild climates and as pot plants for house culture in the north. They grow well in any soil and soon make large clumps, blooming freely in spring and early summer. They do well in partial shade or full sun. The Orchid shaped flowers are an exquisite mauve-violet in color and are lovely in corsages, small vases or table decorations. Price 50c each; 5 for \$2.00.

#### IAPANESE KUDZU VINE

2886 Pueraria thunbergiana. Perennial climber starting new shoot each year from the root crown. Drought resistant. Makes 40 to 50 feet of growth each season, once established, and 8 to 10 feet the first year. Large bright green leaves and purple pea-shaped flowers borne in clusters add to its attractiveness. Pkt. 15c.

#### COBAEA—Cathedral Bells

2535 Violet Blue. Half-hardy perennial. Foliage deep green and flowers large bell-shaped of greenish cast in the bud changing to a deep violet blue. Prefers wire netting or rough boards on which to climb. Rapid grower. Pkt. 15c.

2876 Humulus. Japanese Hop. Variegated. A rapid-growing, half hardy climbing annual with dense leaves. Will grow 20 to 30 feet in a season. Sow in the open from March to May. Pkt. 15c.

#### CARDINAL CLIMBER

2841 Cardinal Climber. Grows rapidly when planted in rich soil and sunny location. About 15 feet in a season. Flowers are cardinal red, tubular-shaped, 1 to  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inches across and borne in many new clusters each morning. Pkt. 15c.

2888 Scarlet Runner Bean. Fraser's Prizewinner. Pkt. 15c.

2887 Mina Lobata (Flag of Spain). A beautiful free-blooming half hardy annual climber with searlet and yellow flowers. Soc win the open in late spring after danger from frost Pkt. 15c: ½ oz. 50c: ½ oz. 55c.

#### ANTIGONON LEPTOPUS

Sometimes called Queen's Wreath and Rosa de Montana. A lovely vine bearing quantities of rose pink flowers in wreaths. Blooms in summer and fall. Thrives in hot sunny situations and if cut down by frost will come up again in spring. Pkt. 15c; 14 oz. 30c.

#### VICTORY CHAYOTE VINE

Orders shipped January 1 to March 30 only. Let the fruit lie around until it has well sprouted, and then plant the seed, leaving the sprout well above ground. Give it abundance of water throughout the hot summer season. The Chayote is no longer a novelty. It has now become an article of commerce. It may be found on sale at many grocery stores throughout the season, which lasts from October until March. The vine is a rampant grower. The first year from seed it will grow 20 to 30 feet. Destroyed to the ground by frost, it soon sends out new growth. Within four weeks fruit is large enough for the table. A trellis or other support is necessary. Cook in the same manner as squash. White Victory Vegetable. Each 50c; 5 for \$2.00, postpaid.











Fraser's California
DAHLIA SEED

Keen interest has been manifest of late in the growing of Dahlias from seed. From the large decorative sorts to the smaller bedding varieties you will find interest in producing dahlia plants from seed. Many of the named varieties from which our seed is collected would cost you considerable in the root form. Start the seed indoors in March or April, transplant to location and you will have bloom from the middle of the summer till frost. We usually consider that the Dahlia will be in flower in from 100 to 105 days from the date of planting the seeds; so you can make your plans accordingly.

#### ALL SEED IS OF 1941 CROP

#### SUPER-GIANT TYPES—Hand-picked Seed

266 Gold Medal Dahlia, selected from six giants, Jane Cowl, Jersey Beauty, Gold Rush, I de Ver Warner and Tommy Atkins. All hand-hybridized, choice selections. Pkt. of 35 seeds, \$1.00; 3 Pkts. for \$2.50.

272 Discovery Dahlia. So-called because Mr. Cordes of Santa Monica, a Dahlia expert set aside a block of his finest double un-named varieties, the hugest specimens we have ever seen, and entirely distinct from any varieties we have the offered. Hence the name; the quality is unsurpassed. Pkt. of 50 seeds, \$3.00; 100 seeds, \$5.00.

#### GIANT TYPES-Hand-Pollenized

279 Fraser's Magnolia-flowered Strain. Mammoth flowers 7 to 9 inches across in a bewildering range of colors. Some singles but a fine percentage of semi-doubles and doubles. Phr. \$1.00 (about 100 seeds).

250 American Beauty Strain (Decorative Type). Enormous blooms, floral rays rather flat and loosely arranged. Has a wonderful range of gorgeous colors. Pkt. 50c (about 60 seeds).

270 Pacific Beauty Strain. (Peony-flowered and Show types mixed.) A collection of 45 of the newest and best American types, many marvelous new shades. Pkt. 50c (100 to 125 seeds).

281 Dahlia Seed, Giant American Double Golden Eagle. Perennial, 4 to 6 feet. The biggest and best Giant Cactus Decorative seed parents plants in the United States. Runs to the autumn shades of orange, bronze, russet, terra cotta, and is remarkable in its tendency unearthing the character of the double golden eagle. Sow the seed in boxes in early spring and transplant when large enough to handle. They require a rich soil with plenty of fertilizer and water and will bloom in 100 days from seed. Pkt. \$1.06.

#### POMPOM AND MINIATURE FROM SEED

251 Fraser's Petite Pompon Strain. A collection of seeds selected from the small compact types. Carefully blended to insure a great variety in each packet. An excellent range of colors can be expected. Pkt. 50c (75 to 125 seeds).

252 Fraser's Miniature Beauties. The big little Dahlia of the Decorative type. This is a selection of the best varieties of this now very popular miniatur Dahlia. Very free-flowering and fine for cutting. Keeps well and comes almost 90 per cent double. Pkt. 50c (75 to 125 seeds).

#### SMALL SINGLE AND SEMI-DOUBLE TYPES

273 Dwarf Mignon Bedding type, sometimes called English Single. Blooms in less than three months after sowing, and is very floriferous. Plant is only 2 feet high, ideal for bedding. Flowers are on long stiff stems, fine for cutting. Red, salmon, pink, cream and yellow are found in the mixture. Pkt. 25c; 5 Pkts. \$1.00.

278 Fraser's Midget Hybrids, mixed. (Coltness Hybrids.) The charming double and semi-double flowers come in warm colors, on dwarf plants. Fine for bedding purposes as well as for cutting. Pkt. 50c (100 seeds).

276 Dahlia, Zulu Sensation Strain. Dark-leaved Double Hybrids. The dark foliage contrasts admirably with the bright and crimson scarlet shades of the medium-sized flowers. This new class embraces the best bedding and cutting type yet produced. Height 2½ feet, flowers 3 to 4 inches in diameter. Pkt. 50c.

### TWO OUTSTANDING NOVELTIES

256 Dahlia Bette Davis (Cordes-Eastman). Semi-Cactus type. Grows 5½ feet tall. Flowers a deep violet rose with darker center. Pkt. \$1.00.

253 Dahlia, Gold Star Mother. Double miniature semi-cactus type. Grows about 2 feet high. Medium double flowers of beautiful salmon shaded pink overlaid with guinea gold. Pkt. 50c.

## New Colors in Giant Pacific DELPHINIUMS

is surely the hardly perennial Delphinium. In our carefully selected strain, each compact tapering spire of blooms is a dream of rare beauty. The colors are indescribably beautiful—rich and delicate, blends of breath-taking loveliness. They grow 3 to 6 feet tall, so are excellent background plants, by far the best time to start delphinium is in the fall months of August, September and up to November. Seeds require 15 to 20 days to germinate. Orders from this catalog receive seed harvested during the late part of July, 1941. Maximum size flowers are not produced until the second blooming season. Special leaflet on the culture of Delphinium from seed will be supplied if requested at the time of ordering.

#### DELPHINIUM—Pacific Giants

#### (Veiterle and Reinelt)

A new strain originated on the Pacific Coast. Huge flowers 21/2 to 31/2 inches in diameter, beautifully spaced on wellbalanced spikes, thin stems, with comparatively mildew resistance.

This strain is practically 100 per cent double. We are able to offer seed of shades produced by the originator and a mixture produced from the originator's stock seed

837 Blue Shades (originator's stock). Pkt. 50c.
838 Pastel Shades (originator's stock). Pkt. 50c.
839 Violet shades (originator's stock). Pkt. 50c.
841 Pacific Giants. A pure white of gigantic stock. Pkt. 50c.
840 Pacific Giants. Mixed (grown from originator's stock).
Pkt. 50c: Special Pkt. \$1.00.

#### MIXED COLOR STRAINS

Blackmore & Langdon Strain. American grown. Pkt. 35c.

Bear's Tall Hollyhock Hybrids. A fine mixture. Pkt. 65c.

Gold Medal Hybrids. Mixed, dark shades. Pkt. 30c.

Beverly Hills Hybrids. Good mixture. Pkt. 50c.

Wrexham Strain. Fancy blend. Contains all colors of this popular Hollyhock strain. Pkt. 50c.

Wrexham Strain. Art Shades. The finest colors. Pkt. 50c.

#### NEW DOUBLE DELPHINIUM

836 Iceberg. Exquisitely pure white. About 20 inches of the 3 to 4 foot spikes are thickly set with large, single blossoms. Most effective when used with blue shades. Strong grower. Pkt. 50c; 1/16 oz. \$1.00.
828 Adolphus Busch. Giant Hybrids. Flowers of immense size, semi-double and double. Many colors, mostly with lavender centers. Pkt. 50c; 1/16 oz. \$1.00.

#### WEDDING DELPHINIUM

#### Best Cutting Type

826 Belladonna Improved (Waller-Franklin Special Strain) Cut Flower. Wedding Delphinium. Light blue, large flow-ered and a strong grower. The finest strain of Belladonna on the market. Blooms 2½ inches across. Pkt. 25c; 1/5 oz. 50c.

827 Bellamosum Improved (Waller-Franklin Special Strain) Cut Flower. Wedding Delphinium. Large deep blue flowers (Phenyl Blue, Rirdway) uniform in color with a white Bee. Blooms 2½ inches across. The result of ten years of careful selection. Pkt. 25c; ½ oz. 50c; 1 oz. \$3.50.

#### DIANTHUS PERENNIALS

#### Hardy Garden Pinks

This group represents the very best strains of the hardy or perennial group of old-fashioned pinks. They are easy to grow and bloom freely for many weeks. All of this group is good for rock garden work. Plants like loamy and sunny location.

922 Caesius (Cheddar Pink). (4 to 6 inches.) A beautiful pink single. Pkt. 15c; 1/6 oz. 50c.

923 Deltoides (Maiden's Blush). (4 to 6 inches.) Bright rosy flowers. Ideal for rockery. Single. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 50c. 924 Mt. Whitney Mixture. (4 to 6 inches.) 24 rare varieties, fine for rock gardens, in a range of exquisite colors. Pkt. 25c; ½ oz. 50c.

#### **DIANTHUS—Continued**

925 Fraser's Scot Mix. (18 inches.) Very fragrant, a wonderful range of colors. Double. Pkt. 25c; ½ oz. 50c.

926 Dianthus Plumarius nanus. (12 inches.) Very dwarf, double and early flowering, ideal for the rock garden and low borders. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 50c.

#### DIANTHUS-ANNUAL GARDEN PINKS

#### HARDY ANNUALS-12 Inches

Generally well known by all gardeners, very easy to grow making colorful, bright beds and low borders. Their spicy fragrance and color make them excellent for cut flowers. Plants are very free flowering and produce best in a sunny location and rather heavy, rich soil. In mild localities they will often live over the winter. Sow seed in early spring inside in flats or hotbed.

915 Heddewigii, Single Mixed. Flowers average 2 inches across, petals plain and some laciniated. Beautiful colors and markings. Pkt. 15c; oz, 95c.

916 Heddewigii, Double Mixed. This is an exceptionally fine strain of free flowering plants producing large double and semi-double flowers beautifully colored and marked in a wide range of exquisite shades. Pkt. 15c; oz. \$1.00.

#### SWEET WIVEFIELD-Annual

For Bedding, Cutting, Etc.

A new annual flowering plant obtained by crossing Dianthus Allwoodi and Sweet William. It is distinct in habit and freedom of growth. Wonderful colors, the flowers are produced on trusses or bunches like a large, loose head of Sweet William, but the individual flower resembles small, single Carnations or Pinks. It grows like a Snapdragon. We are offering it this year in shades and in mixtures.

918 Pink Shades. Pkt. 25c; 1/8 oz. 75c.

919 Red Shades. Pkt. 25c; 1/8 oz. 75c.

920 Choice Mixtures. All colors. Pkt. 15c; 1/8 oz. 50c; 1/4 oz.

840 Pacific Giants Mixed. Pkt. 50c.



#### DIANTHUS BARBATUS, NEW SWEET WILLIAMS

An old-fashioned flower that retains its popularity. Easy to grow, colorful, fragrant and ideal for rock gardens as well as a good border or bedding plant. Average height is about  $1\frac{1}{2}$  feet. Usually treated as a biennial.

937 Holborn Glory. Large heads of single flowers in many colors. Pkt. 15c; 1/2 oz. 50c.

938 Newport Pink. Single perennial, salmon-rose in color. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c.

943 Harlequin. For a variety of lovely colors it's hard to beat this one. Bright red, rose and white flowers on the same head make a bed of these a Magic Carpet. Pkt. 15c.

944 Dwarf Alpine Mixed. A very dwarf variety only 4 inches tall. Excellent for rock gardens. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c.

942 Choice Double Mix. A blend of all the best doubles Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 60c.

945 Choice Single Mix. A blend of singles. Pkt. 15c.

#### DIMORPHOTHECA-African Orange Daisy

Hardy Annual. 12 inches. Large daisy-like flowers in orange and gold shades. The plants are bushy and well covered with bloom throughout the season.

2438 Golden West (Aurantiaca). Bright golden orange. Pkt. 15c; 1/4 oz. 70c; 1/2 oz. \$1.25; 1 oz. \$2.00.

2439 Aurantiaca Hybrids. Mixed from separate colors and blended from the following: Light yellow, orange, yellow, salmon cream and white. Pkt. 10c; ¼ oz. 40c; 1 oz. \$1.50. 2435 Norway Daisy Ringens. Glistening white with blue zone. A beauty. For low borders and beds. Pkt. 20c.

#### DIDISCUS

Queen Anne's Blue Lace Flower

2426 Didiscus Coeruleus. Hardy Annual—18 to 24 inches. The flowers are large, round, lacy heads of azure blue; long stems. Charming cutting flower. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 40c.

#### DIGITALIS (FOXGLOVE) OF ODD HABIT

Hardy Biennial

A magnificent stately plant growing 5 to 7 feet tall. Four foot flower spikes are thickly set with bloom in white, rose and purple with dark spots and markings. A biennial, blooming best the second year from seed planted during late Spring

951 Shirley Top-Row Mix. Very showy with open bell-like flowers of many bright colors. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 35c; ½ oz. 60c. 952 Fraser's Salmon Hybrids. Giant flowers in pleasing shades of salmon, beautifully marked with darker spots. Pkt. 25c; 1/8 oz. 60c.

#### ANNUAL "EVERLASTING" FLOWERS

For garden bloom and winter-dried bouquets.

2451 Globe Amaranth (Gomphrena). White, p. clover-like blossoms. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 25c. pink, orange,

2461 Acroclinium Gigantea. Pink-white. Pkt. 25c.

2462 Honesty (Lunaria). Purple, scented blossoms, coinshaped pods. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 25c.

2463 Rhodanthe. Small blossoms in white, pinks and red. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 25c.

2465 Xeranthemum. Rosette-like blossoms, mixed colors. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 25c.

2469 Helichrysum. Peony-like flowers, mixed colors. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 25c.

2470 Everlasting Mix. Balance mixture of all above varieties. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 25c.

2452 Gomphrena Globosa (New Bunch-Flowered Globe Amaranthus). Annual, 18 to 24 inches high. Flowers resemble large clover heads. Mixed colors, including white, pink and purple. Pkt. 15c.

purple. PRI. 15C. 2220 Gazanea. Fraser's Hybrids. Half-hardy perennial flow-ering the first year from an early sowing. Colors range from cream to orange and rich red. Height 8 inches. PRI. 25c. 2702 Statice (Capia). Lilac-blue flowers, finely-cut foliage. Bouquet mixed. Pki. 15c: Special Pki. 25c.

#### GYPSOPHILA (Elegans)—Baby's Breath

Annuals. Start in Spring or Fall.

Annuals. Start in Spring or Fail.

2454 Gypsophila Multiflora. (Annual Baby's Breath.) Grows from 18 to 24 inches high. Flowers are smaller than ordinary Baby's Breath but three times as abundant. Pkt. 15c.

2456 Elegans Los Angeles Market. White. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 25c; ½ oz. 50c; oz. 90c.

2457 Exquisite Rose. New, bright rosy-carmine. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 50c; oz. \$1.50.

#### GYPSOPHILA—Perennial

(Paniculata.) 3 Feet, Sow in the Fall or Spring.

2458 Princess Snowwhite. Double. Grows quickly from seed, many tiny flowers. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c.

2459 Repens. Prostate. 6 inches. Good for rock gardens, etc. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 40c; ½ oz. 70c.

2455 Gypsophila Pacifica. Single pink. Beautiful. Pkt. 25c; ½ oz. 50.50.

#### HEUCHERAS (CORAL BELLS) IMPROVED

Hardy perennial, 18 inches. Sow in the fall for bloom the following year.

1041 Sanguinea Splendens. Fine strain of red shades. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c. 1042 Fraser's Hybrids. Hardier than splendens, flowers pale pink to reds. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c. 1043 Brizoides Hybrids. Stronger, taller, larger, colors from deep rose to rose-tinted buff; 18 to 24 inches. Pkt. 35c; Special Pkt. \$1.00.

#### GERANIUM—Pelargonium Zonale

Tender Perennial-2 Feet

Sun-ripened seed is the pick of the very best strains of Zonale, producing immense trusses measuring 4 to 6 inches across and individual flowers 1½ inches.

971 Sunshine Mixture. A mixture of striking shades of scarlet, crimson, pinks, creamy-white and other pleasing colors.

Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 60c.

#### GAILLARDIA—Perennials—3 feet

2447 Indian Summer Hybrids. New large-flowered bronzy-red center, petals maroon tipped golden yellow. Pkl. 25c; Special Pkl. 75c.

2448 Grandiflora Dazzler. Giant red, orange tips. Pkt. 20c; Special Pkt. 60c.

2449 Grandillora Tangerine. Self-colored, overlaid red. Pkt. 20c; Special Pkt. 60c.

TRANSVAAL DAISY—Duplex

Half Hardy Perennial—2 Feet
963 Gerbera. New Transvaal Daisy. The Flowerland Gerbera is a new selected strain producing flowers four to five inches in diameter on stems two to two and one-half feet long. This strain contains many new shades not found in the ordinary Gerberas: pastel shades of Salmon, Rose, Pink, Carmine, White, Cream, Straw, Yellow, Orange, Crimson, Scarlet, Terra Cotta, etc. The plants are of very robust habit. We have a limited amount of seed from our selected stock bed, of choicest and largest flowers, surplus over the amount we will replant for our own growing. Pkt. 50c.
962 Fraser's African Sunshine Daisy Single Mixed. Pkt. 25c.

GEUM—"The Rose of the Rockery" Hardy perennial. Fine cut flower, plooms from spring till fall. Plant in the fall or late spring.

2816 Mrs. Bradshaw. Beautiful double orange-scarlet. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 40c. 2817 Lady Stratheden. Bright yellow, double. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c.

2818 Prince of Orange. True orange. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt.

HOLLYHOCKS OF NEWEST STRAINS

Hollyhocks make a fine row in a garden, or a good back-ground next to a building or high fence. These hardy perennials are of upright, stately growth, 5 to 8 feet high and flower in summer and fall. Double Varieties:

905 Maroon. 903 White. 906 Salmon-Rose. 907 Bright Red.

908 Canary Yellow. 904 Rose-Pink. 910 Newport Pink (Pure Pink).

Any of the above. Per Pkt. 15c; 14 oz. 65c.

902 Treasure Island. This is named in honor of San Francisco's Treasure Island. It has beautiful golden salmon rose double frilled flowers measuring 5 to 6 inches across. Sow in the early spring and transplant to the open ground six weeks later. Twelve weeks later it will be in full bloom and will carry over for the following year. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c.

#### Gerbera. Transvaal Daisy.



#### **NEW HOLLYHOCKS**

Annual Indian Spring, 901 This is a silver medal winner for 1938. It blooms in five months from seed. Individual flowers measuring about 5 inches. The color range is from pale pink to crimson rose. Height 5 feet. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c. 995 Double, All Colors Mixed. Pkt. 15c; 1/4 oz. 60c.

898 Double Imperator Hybrids, Mixed Colors. A new, early flowering strain containing a great variety of new colors. The double and semi-double flowers are gracefully waved and fringed. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 45c.

899 Annual Hollywood Star Single. The large flowers are single and beautifully fringed. All colors mixed. Pkt. 10c; 1/4 oz. 40c.

900 Flora Dora Hollyhock (Hat-like Flowers). 900 Flora Dora Hollyhock (Hat-like Flowers). Novelty. This gorgeous new Hollyhock has a lovely crested crown with beautifully fringed brims. Flowers measure 6 to 7 inches across. Colors are mixed in deep rose, maroon, salmon rose, Chinese scarlet, sulphur yellow, and pastel colors indescribable. If 5 or 6 of these flowers are placed in a bowl of water they will last for several days and will make a gorgeous center piece for the table. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c.

1886 Hibiscus, Super Giants. Perennial. Immense flowers from palest pink, through pure pink to rose with others showy white or rich crimson. Pkt. 15c.

#### ORNAMENTAL FLOWERING KALE Foliage Plant

1501 Flowering Kale. Mixed colors. Although belonging to the Cabbage family, this is an entirely different plant in appearance. When young the leaves are green, and in autumn beautiful colors begin to appear, painting the whole plant. Of compact habit, making good pot plants, and is of marvelous keeping quality. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c.

## Annual Larkspurs



A Field of Giant Imperial Larkspur in California

#### LARKSPUR-Larks-Heel

Giant Imperial Larkspur, an entirely distinct type of Larkspur originating in California, and without any doubt the most valuable of recent years. The plants are tall in habit, growing four feet high, branching freely from the base, making them especially desirable for cutting purposes. The flowers are large and double, and produced in many beautiful shades. Sow seed year around.

#### LARKSPUR GIANT IMPERIAL— Base Branching

866 Blue Spire. Dark blue. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 40c. 872 Orchid Cattleya. Rosy lilac. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 40c.

868 Gloria. Deep rose. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 40c.

867 Carmine King. Rosy carmine. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 40c.

869 Lilac Spire. Lilac. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 40c.

870 Miss California. Salmon pink. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 40c. White Spire. Pure white. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 40c.

879 Exquisite Mixed. Finest mixture. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt.

#### GIANT LILIUM-White Queen

2489 Improved Philippinense Formosanum. A selected new lily coming from the Philippine Islands. Large, trumpetshaped, white flowers with many blooms to each stem. Grows to a height of four feet. It is hardy, easy growing and one of the finest flowers in the lily family, blooming six months after sowing. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 50c.

2490 Regale (Regal Lily). Ivory-white, shaded pink on outside, yellow in throat. Blooms in July. 3-5 feet. Pkt. 10c; Special Pkt. 25c; ½ oz. 40c.

#### LINARIA—Miniature Snapdragons

Plants having long spikes, of miniature Snapdragon shape flowers, and narrow green leaves. Excellent for cutting, and fine as a filler in large-flowered bouquets. It thrives in sunny spots, and grows to a height of 18 inches. For beds and borders it has few equals. Plant in the early spring in the east, and in the fall in California, where it will bloom in the winter time.

2509 Maroccana Hybrids. Mixed. Pkt. 15c; 1/2 oz. 60c.

#### New DWARF LINARIA-Fraser's Large Flowered Mixed—"Fairy Bouquet"

2508 The plants are not more than 8 inches high, are very compact in habit and bear large flowers in many colors, such as rose, yellow, pink, lavender, carmine, red, violet, white and salmon. Excellent either for bedding or for pots. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 40c; 1 oz. 51.50.

#### LINUM—Perennial Flax

There are several very fine varieties of the flax family that deserve a place in your garden. The brilliant flowers furnish a profusion of color throughout the summer months.

2512 Narbonnense. Flowers steel blue, early spring nad summer, 2 feet, good for rock garden. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt.

#### LINUM—Annual Flax

2511 Scarlet Flax (Grandiflorum Rubrum). Showy plants about 18 inches tall bearing in great profusion large rich, scarlet flowers. Plant in the garden, where they are to stand as soon as ground is warm. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 40c.

#### LOBELIA—Bigger and Bluer

group of plants valuable for bedding purposes. A group of plants valuable for bedding purposes. Especially fine for borders and rock gardens on account of their compact growth and profusion of flowers. They are also useful for pot culture, hanging baskets, window boxes, etc. Continuous bloomers from June to November. Seed germinates and transplants very easily.

Crystal Palace. Dark blue, compact. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c

2517 Hybrida Sapphire. Trailing. Deep blue with white eye. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.

#### LUPINE

Hardy Annual-18 to 24 Inches

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Annual Lupines are among the most useful of garden flowers, especially where you have sandy or poor soil. In cold climates sow seed in the open in May where it is to grow, later thinning out plants, leaving them about a foot apart. In California and Southern states sow seed in fall or early spring. 2525 Russell's Prize Mixture. This is one of the finest of all Lupines. Some spikes have a height of three feet. The range of colors is superb. We feel that this strain has a brilliant future. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c.

2521 Frase's Dark Blue. Group sphus; 20 inches. Pkt.

2521 Fraser's Dark Blue. Grows about 20 inches. Pkt. 15c;

2522 Fraser's Sky Blue. Grows about 20 inches. Pkt. 15c; oz. 50c.

2523 Texas Blue Bonnet. Height 18 inches. Medium blue. Pkt. 15c; oz. 50c.

#### See also California Natives

2524 Hartwegii Giant Lupines. I to 1½ feet taller than the old type. Base branching habit, producing four to six flower spikes to a plant. Easily and quickly grown from seed. Pkt. 25c; oz. \$1.00.

#### MIGNONETTE-Reseda Odorata Grandiflora

Hardy annual, 12 inches. Splendid strain, blooming in 90 days. Never transplant. Sow in cool, moist spot.

2541 Mignonette, California Glittering Gold. Bright glittering gold flowers on long spikes. Annual—grows about 12 inches high. Pkt. 15c.

2542 Salmon Queen. Salmon. Pkt. 15c; oz. \$1.00.

2543 Colonial Dame. The favorite, very fragrant. Pkt, 10c: oz. 50c.

## Fragrant Double NASTURTIUMS

They are not particular as to soil, fertility or cultivation and may be seen at the beach resorts growing in banks of pure sand where they get little or no attention. If you have an unsightly spot, plant Nasturtiums and convert it into a beauty spot. The Dwarf varieties may be used for bedding and borders while the tall climbing varieties may be used for covering unsightly fences and fence corners. Bloom in a few weeks and continue until cut down by the frost, providing flowers are not allowed to form seed.



Semi Double Sweet Scented Nasturtiums

2603 Dwarf Golden Globe. (Award of Merit All America Selections 1936.) Identical in color with the popular Golden Gleam, but dwarf and compact in habit. Pkt. 15c; oz. 50c.

2609 Dwarf Scarlet Globe. Bright scarlet. Very striking for bed or border. Pkt. 15c; oz. 50c.

2604 Dwarf Gem Mixture. The good-sized sweet scented double flowers gally cover the dwarf compact plants in an excellent color range. Pkt. 15c; oz. 50c

2600 Golden Gleam. Large, very double, sweet scented flow-

ers of an attractive golden yellow. Pkt. 15c; oz. 50c. 2607 Mahogany Gleam. Rich dark mahogany red. Pkt. 15c; 2607 M

2608 Moon Gleam (New). Large double flowers of light golden yellow. Same robust habit of growth as Golden Gleam. Pkt. 15c; oz. 50c.

2605 Orange Gleam. Large, uniformly double flowers of deep golden orange, with a deeper shading at the center. Very free flowering. Pkt. 15c; oz. 50c.

2602 Scarlet Gleam. The fiery orange-scarlet flowers are fully double, very large, sweet scented. Pkt. 15c; oz. 50c.

2626 Gleam Hybrids. Large sweet scented double and semi-double flowers. The color range includes gorgeous shades of salmon, yellow, orange-scarlet, cerise and many others. Pkt, 15c; oz. 50c.

#### CALIFORNIA GIANT SINGLE TROPHY **NASTURTIUMS**

2584 Dwarf Mixed. Pkt. 15c; oz. 25c; 1/4 lb. 75c; lb. \$2.00. 2652 Tall Mixed. Pkt. 15c; oz. 25c; 1/4 lb. 75c; lb. \$2.00.

#### NICOTIANA-2 ft. Tall Sweet-Scented Tobacco Plant

Half-hardy annual. Delicious fragrance, particularly marked

after dusk.
2561 Star of Bethlehem. White. Pkt. 15c.
2562 Star of the East. Crimson. Pkt. 25c.
2563 Paramount. Mixed. All colors. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 40c.

40c.
2565 Crimson Bedder, Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 40c.
2564 Nicotiana (Flowering Tobacco). Mexican Giant-Flowered Tuberose seented fragrant white tobacco plant. Long tubular pure white flowers growing in dense whirls around the stem, one above the other. Pkt. 25c.
2550 Fragrant Orange Blossom Flowered Nicotiana (Flowering Tobacco). This is comparatively new and classed with all of the most popular fragrant flowers today and we predict it will hold a permanent place in the parks and gardens of America for many years. It is gaining favor all of the time. The tall spikes are well furnished with delicate pure white waxy orange blossom-like flowers as illustrated above. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c.



Fragrant Orange Blossom Flowering Tobacco

#### FOUR O'CLOCK-Marvel of Peru

Mirabilis Jalapa Tender Perennial—2 Feet

2429 Tall Mixed. An easy to grow tender perennial usually treated as an annual. Flowers are shades of red and yellow. Roots can be lifted and stored and replanted in spring. Pkt. 18c; oz. 25c.

#### **NEMESIA**

This easily grown hardly annual should be planted more generally. The compact plants send up many graceful stalks bearing small somewhat Orchid-like blooms of rich colors. Sow the seed in the fall, winter and early spring.

#### COMPACTA TYPE-8-12 Inches

2558 Aurora. Carmine red with white lip. Pkt. 25c.
2559 Blue Gem. Forget-me-not blue color. Pkt. 25c.
2557 Fire King. Bright scarlet. Pkt. 25c.
2555 Orange Prince. Rich orange. Pkt. 25c.
2551 Nana Compacta Triumph Mixed. A brilliant assortment of colors. Pkt. 25c.

## PHLOX, the Gayest Annual

#### PHLOX DRUMMONDI GRANDIFLORA

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Hardy annual. California leads the world and has produced a Phlox with flowers 1½ inches in diameter. It has the most wonderful range of colors of soft art shades, and these soft wonderful range of colors of soft art shades, and these soft colors blended together make a most beautiful mixture and a color combination never before seen in an annual Phlox. Plants are about 12 inches high and make a grand cut flower. Plant seed from January to July.

2569 Phlox. Rosy Morn. Bronze Medal. Gigantea single, annual phlox of brilliant rose with a white eye. Extra large flowered, pleasing color combination and an early free bloomer. True and uniform. Twelve inches tail. Pkt. 25c.

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Syn Salmon Glory. This is a silver medal winner in the All American selections. Flowers are huge in size and the color is soft but rich salmon pink. A grand novelty and a worthy variety for bedding, boxes and cutting. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c.

2579 Drummondi Mixed Geranium-flowered. Blend of red, rose, violet, buff and chamois. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.

2566 Star Gleam. Shades of pink, rose, red, petals fringed and starred. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.

2572 Drummondi Gigantea. Pastel and art shades. Mixed. Largest-flowered Phlox. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c.



Different Types of Petunias

California Petunias are known the world over for their size and beauty. The work that has been done on the Petunia in the last few years in California is amazing. No flower surpasses the Petunia for massing in beds. They form a sea of color. Their richness of color, duration of bloom, and their love for sunshine makes them a flower that will succeed under more unfavorable conditions than any other flower we know of. They grow in any kind of soil. Sow seed in boxes or in the open ground from January to July. Germination period, ten days. They transplant easily in flats.

## Large Flowering Petunias

### CALIFORNIA PETUNIAS

#### Fraser's California Ruffled Giants

With large veined throats, this is the largest single Petunia in existence. The original stock is from the famous Shepard's strain, of Ventura, California. It has continued to improve for the past twenty years. We believe the Super Giants Ruffled is the acme of perfection. Flowers are of immense size and the color segregation is true to name and description.

549 Fraser's Camellia Pink. Red veined, dark throat. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c.

Fraser's Copper Red. Dark throat. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c.

551 Fraser's Copper Rose. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c. 552 Fraser's Steel Blue. Veined black, dwarf. Pkt. 25c; Spe-

oial Pkt. 75c. 553 Fraser's Bluish White. Veined. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c. 554 Fraser's Giant Ruffled Pink. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c. 555 Fraser's Copper Red and White. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt.

Fraser's Rose and White. Vellow throat. Pkt. 25c: Special 556

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7sc. Fraser's Red and White. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c. Fraser's Dark Crimson. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c. Fraser's Rosea. Rich rose. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c. Fraser's Silver Rose Pink. Flushed rosy amaranth. F 559

25c: Special Pkt. 75c

Fraser's White. White with yellow throat. Pkt. 25c; Spe-

cial Pkt. 75c.

562 Ruffled Monsters. Choice mix. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 50c.

#### PETUNIAS NEW COLORS AND TYPES

523 Petunia, Cream Star, Dwarf Bedding Type. Hybrida Nana Compacta variety. Free bloomer. Soft, creamy white flowers, bluntly star shaped with a star of cream coloring on the white flowers. Pkt. 25c.

538 Petunia Grandiflora, Futuristic Blue and White. The ground color is a deep blue with a velvety sheen which intensifies a great deal the irregular pure white blotches or markings. Pkt. 50c.

543 Petunia, Miniature Ruffled Betsy Ross. The color is red and white, with the white blending to golden and the red blending to very deep red in the throat. Blooms are 2½ inches in diameter and well ruffled. Plants are uniform and compact. Pkt. 25c.

524 Petunia, Glow. Dwarf Bedding Type. A dwarf, compact ball-shaped plant, Hybrida Nana Compacta, of bright rose-red and lighter throat. Extremely free flowering. Pkt. 25c.

537 Petunia. Blue Hawaii. Giants of California strain. Flowers are an intense shade of violet blue. Pkt. 25c.

614 Petunia, Radiance. Silver Medal. Hybrida type, a very brilliant and rich rose or cerise color with brown veined yellowish throat. Begins blooming very early and profusely; of uniform height branching nicely, and an outstanding petunia. Flowers 1% to 2 inches across. Pkt. 25c.

615 Petunia, First Lady. Silver Medal. Exceptionally uniform nana compacta or dwarf petunia. Large 2½-inch flowers of beautiful light or blush pink in profusion all season. Uniform, compact, 12-inch plants. Unique color. Desirable for garden and commercial use. Pkt. 25c.

542 Petunia, Violet Gem. Honorable Mention. Rich violet blue, miniature petunia. Only six inches tall and compact, with plenty of small 1½-inch flowers, for edging and pots. Flowers are deeply lobed and pointed. Pkt. 25c.

#### SPECIALTY VARIETIES

Upright Plants 12 Inches Tall. 3 Inches Across.
545 Hollywood Star. A rich rose with an amber throat. This novelty is very attractive and worth a trial at least. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c.

Special Pkt. 75c.
544 Martha Washington. The outstanding sort in this group.
Blush pink, deep violet throat, ruffled flowers and compact
plant. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c.
564 Blue Gem. Dark blue, of similar form and habit as Rosy
Morn. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c.
567 Rose Bowl. The largest offering in this desirable group.
Bright rose, extremely compact plants. Pkt. 25c; Special
Pkt. 75c.
570 Paper White. The original miniature which has received so much attention. Pure white. Pkt. 25c; Special
Pkt. 75c.
563 Topaz Rose (Hubrida). This

FRI. 70c.
553 Topaz Rose (Hybrida). This velvety flery rose suffused with gold variety has attracted much attention because of its depth of color. Pkt. 25c. Special Pkt. 75c.

#### GIANTS OF CALIFORNIA

Upright Plants 8 to 10 Inches Tall. Flowers 5 Inches Across.

Popular Mixtures.

595 Dwarf Ramona Strain. Our most popular sort. Pkt. 50c;

Special Pkt. S1.50.

585 Dwarf Ramona Dark Selection. Pkt. 40c; Special Pkt. S1.

590 Ruffled Monsters. Half dwarf. Fine colors. Pkt. 50c; Special Pkt. S1.50.

#### CALIFORNIA DOUBLE VARIETIES

Upright Plant 1 Foot Tall. Flowers 1 Inch Across.

599 All-Double "Victorious." Dwarf mixed. Pkt. 50c; Special Pkt. 51.50.
548 All-Double "Triumphant." Giant mixed. Pkt. 50c; Spe-

547 Shepherd's "Marvelous." Very fine. Pkt. 50c; Special Pkt. 51.50.

Grandiflora Compacta Single Dwarf Fringed

Upright Plants 10 Inches Tall. Flowers 4 Inches Across. 588 Gaiety. Rose and white daintily fringed. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c.

Gottfried Michaelis. Velvety crimson. Pkt. 25c; Special

575 Fraser's Lace Veil. New pure white. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c.

Setting Sun. Deep rose, dark throat. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c.

> Grandiflora Single Fringed Spreading Plants. Flowers 4 Inches Across.

592 Pink Triumph. Bright clear pink. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt.

Pride of Portland. Deep pink. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 50c. Romany Lass. Deep crimson, dark throat. Pkt. 35c;

533 Romany Lass. Deep crimson, dark throat. Pkt. 35c; Special Pkt. 50c. 574 Royal Purple. Finely fringed. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 50c. 587 Theodosia. Rose, golden throat. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 50c. 537 Blue Hawaii. New fringed violet blue. Pkt. 25c; Special

Mixed. All the above and many others. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 50c.

Grandiflora Plain Edge

Upright Plants 10 Inches Tall, Flowers 4 Inches Across. 525 Dwarf Pink Glory. Flame rose pink. Pkt. 25c; Special

589. Elk's Pride. Well known standard purple. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c.
526. Purple Robe. Deep purple edged silver. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c.

527 Queen of the Market. Carmine red, dwarf. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c. 528 Giant Pink Glory. Fine flame rose. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c. 529. White Co.

529 White Cloud. Dwarf, compact, pure white. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c. 530 Mixed. All the above and many others. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c.

BALCONY—Hybrida Pendula

Spreading Plants. Flowers 3 Inches Across.
Blue. Rich violet blue. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.
Copper Rose. Warm new color. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.
Cornflower Blue. Rich blue. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.
Crimson. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.
Damask Rose. Tyrian rose. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.
Pure White. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.
Mixed. All colors. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.
Fraser's "Velvety Red" Wonder. Special Pkt. 50c. 581

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#### DWARF HYBRID NANA ERECTA

611 Admiral. New rich violet blue. Webbed flowers. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt, 50c. 612 Alderman. Deep violet blue. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c. 613 Blue Bedder. Mid blue. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c. 568 Celestrial Rose. Improved Rose of Heaven. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.

Special Pkt. 50c. 566 Norma. Lis Norma. Light purple with white star. Pkt. 15c; Special

Pkt. 50c. Rose of Heaven. Bright rose. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c. Rosy Morn. Rose with white throat. Pkt. 15c; Special 565 597

Silver Blue. Light blue. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c. Snow Ball. White. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c. Mixed. Over 12 kinds. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c. 609

## GIANT POPPIES Crop 1941

#### **PANSIES**



1070 Pansy. Fraser's Royal Scotch Exhibition Pansy Mixture.

#### GIANT PANSY NOVELTY

1080 Dwarf Swiss Mixture. The colors are the same as in the original Swiss strain, but the plant is considerably more dwarf and compact. Pkt. 35c; ½ oz. 54.00; oz. 57.00.

#### FRASER'S GIANT PANSIES

1071 Super Swiss Giants. Roggli strain. Produces unusually large flowers on long stems. A very choice selection of colors and a strain most gardeners know and rely on. Unexcelled in size and quality. Pkt. 50c; ½ oz. \$2.50; ½ oz. \$7.50; oz. \$12.00.

1072 Fraser's Prize Giants. An extra good strain at this price. Beautifully blotched flowers of large size and heavy texture. Compact plants and long stems fine for cutting. Pkt. 25c; ½ oz. \$2.75; ½ oz. \$4.00; oz. \$7.50.

1077 Triumph of Giants (Armacost & Royston Strain). A super-pansy: lovely, distinctive strain, bearing extra large flowers, prettily blotched, strong stems. A fine range of colors. Pkt. 50c; 1/4 oz. \$4.00; oz. \$15.00.

1079 Pacific Majesty Ingleman's Strain. Where a large flower of good quality and assortment of colors is wanted for bedding or border you will find this one entirely satisfactory. Pkt. 40c; ½ oz. \$2.50.

1078 Oregon Giants (Mastodon). Fine well-formed large flowers somewhat flattened and "full-faced." Excellent colors and markings. Pkt. 50c; ½ oz. \$2.50; oz. \$9.00.

#### PANSY—SWISS GIANTS—In Separate Colors

1084 Swiss Alpenglow. Rich wine-red shades. Pkt. 50c.

1085 Swiss Berna. Dark violet-blue. Pkt. 50c.

1086 Swiss Rhinegold. Canary yellow with dark blotches. Pkt. 50c.

1087 Swiss White. The best pure white pansy, large, well-

1088 Swiss Blue. The most distinct rich deep ultramarine blue with darker blue blotches. Pkt. 50c.

1089 Swiss Pure Yellow. Flowers not so large as those of the other Swiss sorts, Pkt. 50c.

All of above:  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$2.00;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$4.00; oz. \$7.00.

#### PENTSTEMONS IN PLEASING ARRAY

Hardy perennial. Large spikes of beautiful gloxinia-shaped flowers. Seed sown in the fall will commence blooming early in spring and autumn and continue most of the year. Seed started early inside usually blooms the first season.

1112 Gloxiana-flowered red shades.
1113 Gloxinia-flowered rose shades.
1114 Gloxinia-flowered violet shades.
1119 Gloxinia-flowered wind shades.
1119 Gloxinia-flowered mixed.
1130 Blue Gem. Small type, ideal for rock gardens.
Any of above: Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 50c.

PENTSTEMON—"Old Kentucky Home Mixture"
1129 Very early, wider range of colors than any other, long stalks, medium-size flowers. Fine for cutting. Pkt. 25c; 1/8 oz. \$1.75; 1/4 oz. \$3.00.

#### FRASER'S SHIRLEY POPPIES

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1926 Sweet Briar. Large, full double flowers of exquisite rose-pink shade. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 50c; ½ oz. 85c; oz. \$1.50.

1921 Art Shades. Unusual colors in Indian and Carmine-Lake tones. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 40c; ½ oz. 75c; oz. 51.50.

1922 Eldorado Blend. Large double flowers. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 45c; ½ oz. 75c; oz. \$1.25.

1923 Fraser's Shirley Hybrids. Produces a pleasing variety of all colors in the Single-Flowered Shirley Poppies. Pkt. 15c; ¼ oz. 35c; ½ oz. 60c; oz. \$1.00.

1924 Cossack. A fine large double flower of orange-scarlet. Pkt. 15c; ¼ oz. 50c.

1917 American Legion. Brilliant orange-scarlet. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 60c; oz. \$1.00.

1927 New Feathered Poppy. Each blossom gives the appearance of a ball of finely cut Ostrich feathers. Height, 2 feet. Mixed. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 60c; oz. \$1.00.

1920 Holland Red Tulip Poppy, Intense Scarlet. Reminds one of the Holland Red Darwin Tulip. Has smooth stems like the Tulip. Plants grow 12 to 18 inches high and produce 50 to 60 flowers per plant. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c.

### ANNUAL PEONY-FLOWERED POPPIES

ANNUAL PEONY-FLOWERED POPPIES
Grows to 2½ to 3 feet high
In this group of annual flowers there will be found many
types of foliage and flower, any or all of which can be made
to serve a variety of attractive uses. They can be sown in
the open ground where they are to bloom and require very
little care to produce great spots of color in open areas that
would be difficult to treat in any other manner.
1935 American Flag. Double Peony-Flowered. 2½ to 3 feet.
Immense double flowers. Petals of white background, margined with scarlet. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 40c.
1934 Double Peony-Flowered, Mixed. Flowers and plants are
like above, but colors range through shades of rose, pink,
red, yellow and white. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 40c.



1900 Iceland Poppy-Pasadena Mixed. Pkt. 15c.



1929 Maharajah Poppy. Pkt. 25c.

#### ICELAND POPPIES—Papaver nudicaule

While these are hardy perennials, they flower the first year from seed, blooming almost as quickly as the annual sorts. They are of graceful neat habit with bright green, fern-like foliage, formed in tufts from which issue slender stalks about 15 inches high, bearing their brilliant flowers in endless profusion.

1904 Yellow Wonder (Amurense). Yellow. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c.

1901 Emperor. Deep orange. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c. 1902 Empress. Salmon rose. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c.

1903 Sandford's Giant Iceland. A great improvement in Iceland poppies. Mixture. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 60c.

1905 Gartref Strain. Art shades. Pkt. 20c; Special Pkt. 60c.

1900 Pasadena Iceland. Single mixed. Pkt. 10c; Special Pkt. 40c; 1/4 oz. \$1.00; oz. \$3.50.

#### NEW ANNUAL AND HARDY HUNNEMANNIA POPPY

1928 Mexican Tulips or Santa Barbara Poppy. Large yellow, fluted petals. Good for cutting; 18 to 24 inches. Pkt. 15c; fluted petals. G Special Pkt. 50c.

1931 Sunlite. New. Yellow, semi-double, very interesting Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c.



#### ORIENTAL POPPIES—Papaver Orientale

2 to 3 Feet Tall, Immense Flowers

1945 Colosseum. Dark scarlet, block spot at base of petal. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 50c.

1946 Prince of Orange. Scarlet-orange, striking. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 50c.

1947 Fraser's Giant Hybrids. Immense flowers, fine range of colors. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 50c.

1929 Maharajah Poppy Papaweraceae (Flavum). Beautiful perennial Poppy from the Indies. Forms in a hedge if planted in rows. Has a bluish-green smooth-like foliage with many slender stems about two to three feet high. Leaves are antierlike and flowers single and large, measuring four to five inches. Colors are bronzy-orange, varying to red and purple. Blooms 90 days from seed and continuing throughout the summer late into the fall. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c.

#### PYRETHRUMS, DOUBLE AND GIANT SINGLES PYRETHRUM-Persian Daisy

Hardy perennials, easily grown. Good for cutting. Start seed in the Fall or Spring.

1216 Roseum. Single mixed, 2 feet. White, rose, pink, and red. Pkt. 15c;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 40c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 70c.

1217 Roseum. Fl. pl. double mixed. Many bright colors from white to deep red. Pkt. 25c; 1/16 oz. 60c; 1/8 oz. \$1.10. 1/2 oz. 40c.

1218 Aureum (Golden Feather). Bright yellow foliage, white bloom, 1 foot tall. Fine for borders. Pkt. 15c; 1/4 oz. 25c;



2682 Fraser's Upright Portulaca Giant Double Mixed. Pkt. 25c.

## PORTULACA for Hot, Dry Places

#### PORTULACA-Moss Rose or Sun Rose

This hardy annual grows about six inches high, and really is a gem in the garden. Will thrive in a dry sunny spot where most other flowering plants will not thrive. You will find it in the following listing. Flowers are double, 1½ inches in diameter and a mixture of all colors of the rainbow. They make a dazzling display of color throughout the fall.

The dainty cup-like flowers spread rapidly, forming a gay carpet from July to October. Broadcast the seed on ground that is moist (not wet) and press into soil with flat board.

2681 Grandiflora Double. Mixed. Pkt. 20c; 1/8 oz. 50c; 1/4 oz. \$1.00; oz. \$5.00.

2682 Fraser's Upright Giant Double Mixed. More upright in growth than above type. Ideal for rock garden. Pkt. 25c; oz. \$4.00.

2683 Giant Flowered Single and Semi-double Mixed. Pkt. 10c; oz. \$2.00.

# SALPIGLOSSIS (Painted Tongue)

SALPIGLOSSIS-Painted Tongue-3 ft. annual

Large flowering. We are offering this year two strains, the dwarf, 2½ feet tall, and the tall Gloxinia-flowered type that grows 3½ feet tall. They are all Gold Veined varieties and are a great favorite in the open, and for cutting. While they may be transplanted, they do much better sown in the open ground where they are to produce bloom.

- 441 Chamois and Gold. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 40c.
- 447 Crimson and Gold. Pkt. 15c.
- 442 Light Blue and Gold. Pkt. 15c.
- 444 Rose and Gold, Pkt. 15c.
- 446 Scarlet and Gold. Pkt. 15c.
- 443 Violet and Gold. Pkt. 15c. 448 Velvety Red. Pkt. 15c.
- 440 Velvety Violet. Pkt. 15c.
- 459 Superbissima Mixed. Pkt. 15c.
- 449 Gloxiniaflora. Mixed. Fraser's Lily Field. Pkt. 15c; Spe-
- cial Pkts, 40c-four times regular packets.

#### SALPIGLOSSIS—Giant Flowered Type

This new Dwarf strain of Salpiglossis grows two feet high, has flowers that measure from two to three inches across, has a brighter color range and is very attractive because of the uniform height when in bloom. The uniform height is about one foot less than the ordinary variety. This gives the flowers a much larger appearance. They are all strong growers and produce thick, bushy, symmetrical plants. We predict a great future for this dwarf type of Salpiglossis.

- 451 Dwarf Blue and Gold, Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c.
- 452 Dwarf Bright Scarlet. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c.
- 453 Dwarf Dark Brown, Gold. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c.
- 454 Dwarf Deep Velvety Crimson. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c.
- 455 Dwarf Lilac, red throat, Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c. 456 Dwarf Scarlet and Gold, Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c.
- 455 Dwarf Scarlet and Gold. Pki. 25c; Special Pki. 75c.



Salpiglossis-Painted Tongue

# SCABIOSA (Morning Bride)



1184 Scabiosa, Giant Imperial Blue Moon. This is a new shade in the annual Giant Flowering Scabiosa. The flowers are very large, perfectly double and a beautiful deep lavender blue. This variety is recommended for cutting because of its long strong wire-like stems. It received All American honorable mention in 1839. Pkt. 25c.

### SCABIOSA—Pincushion Flower—3 ft.

One of the most popular hardy annuals growing about 3 feet high and one of the most popular of the easy growing annuals for cutting. They have long wiry stems and fine lasting qualities for bouquets. The stamens are light in color and in contrast with the petals look like pins stuck into a cushion, hence the common name, Pincushion Flower. Plant seed from December to May. Germinates in 14 days.

- 1185 Ageratum Blue. Pkt. 15; Special Pkt. 25c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 50c.
- 1193 Azure Fairy. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 25c; 1/2 oz. 50c.
- 1195 Black Prince. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 25c; 1/2 oz. 50c.
- 1186 Blue Cockade (New). Deep azure blue. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 25c; 1/2 oz. 50c.
- 1187 Cattleya (New). Rich rosy lilac. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 25c; 1/2 oz. 50c.
- 1194 Fiery Scarlet. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 25c; 1/2 oz. 50c.
- 1196 Giant Loveliness. Salmon. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 25c; ½ oz. 50c.
- 1197 Peach Blossom. Light pink. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 25c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 50c.
- 1190 Rosette. New large flowered scabiosa. Deep rose, heavily suffused with salmon. Pkt. 25c.
- 1198 Shasta. Large white. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 25c; 1/2
- 1199 Fairyland Mixture. Pkt. 10c; Special Pkt. 20c; 1/2 oz. 40c.

#### SCABIOSA—Large Flowered Perennial Varieties

This variety is a hardy perennial and will last for three or four years in your garden. Flowers range in size according to variety from two to four inches in diameter. It is one of the finest cut flowers we know of because of the shades of orchid, pink, white, and lavenders. Sow seed from February to May. Germination period three weeks.

1189 Caucasica Blue House Strain. Improvement over Caucasica. More vigorous, stronger and longer stems and larger flowers. Pkt. 35c; Special Pkt. 75c.

#### SMALL FLOWERED PERENNIAL

SCABIOSA COLUMBARIA Hardy 'Perennial—18 Inches

1172 Fraser's Orchid-Pink. The only pink flower in the perennial group. Excellent cut flower. Pkt. 25c.

## All the Best New SNAPDRAGONS



#### **ANTIRRHINUM**

For gorgeous colorings few flowers can match Snapdragons. They are receiving today the attention they deserve. They are undoubtedly one of the best cut flowers which can readily be grown from seed most any time in the year. For beds or borders, and background planting. We have all the rustresistant types in three heights, dwarf, medium and tall. One of the best money-makers for florists and growers. The strain we offer is, we believe, the best that can be offered by anyone, as it comes to us from a specialist who has worked closely with their development at the University of California.

#### Rust-resistant MAJUS GRANDIFLORUM

Height 3 Feet. Large Flowered

622 Daintiness. Rose pink, white tube. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.

623

Padre. Crimson. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.
Stoplight. Vivid red. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.
Yellow Jacket. Deep yellow. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.
Autumn Shades. Old rose and amber. Pkt. 15c; Special
50c. 629

Pkt. 617

621

Butiercup Yellow. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.
Piery Red Defiance. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.
Shasta. Pure white. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.
Harmony Shades. Terra cotta. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.
Orange Shades. Deep to light orange. Pkt. 15c; Special
50c. 632

Pkt, 50c.
620 Salmon Rose. Pink shades. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.
633 Wallflower Red. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.
634 University of California Mixture. A wonderful range of
popular colors. Pkt. 10c; Special Pkt. 25c; ½ oz. 50c.
626 Anirrhinum, Majus Grandillora, Rust Resistant Snapdragon, Rosalie. A rich deep rose color with an underlying
tone of topaz or amber. Plants are base branching and produce from 6 to 8 huge long flowering spikes. Pkt. 25c.

#### Rust-resistant Antirrhinum

Nanum Grandiflorum

Branching 2 Feet Tall. Large Flowered.

This superior Nanum Grand is by far one of the greatest achievements in Rust Resistant Antirrhinus. The color range, size of flower and habit are most remarkable. Height 2 feet.

- 641 Antique Gold. Blend Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c. Blend of copper, terra cotta and orange.
- Tangerine. Bronze orange. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.
- 645 Yellow-Gem. Clear yellow. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.
- 646 Old Gold Shades. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.
- 644 Orange Shades. Deep to light orange. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.
- 637 Red Rock. Orange and scarlet. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c. 647
- Carmine Rose. Yellow lip. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.
- Wildfire. Orange scarlet. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.

#### **NEW Rust Resistant Antirrhinum**

Height 31/2 Feet. Tall, Large Flowering.

Superior to any that we have ever seen. This type contains all the colors that have been introduced in the non-resistant types, plus many new shades. The habit of all the plants is base branching, having from 12 to 18 spikes on which the blossoms are gracefully spaced. Height  $3\frac{1}{2}$  feet.

693 Swingtime, Rose pink. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 25c;

593 Swinghme. Rose pairs.
1/4 oz. 75c.
703 Yellow Giant. Deep yellow. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt.
25c; 1/4 oz. 75c.
892 Copper King. Bronze copper. Pkt. 15c; Special
Pkt. 25c; 1/4 oz. 75c.
702 Salmon Pink Shades. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 25c; oz. 75c. 4 Salmon Rose Shades. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 25c;

1/4 oz. 75c. 698 Alaska. White. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 25c; 1/2 oz. 696 Campfire. Luminous scarlet. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 25c; ½ oz. 75c. 695 Canary Bird. Yellow. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 25c;

1/2 oz. 75c. 697 Crimson Shades. Dark stem. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt.

597 Crimson Snades. Dark Stem. Pkr. 15c; Special Pkr. 25c; ¼ oz. 75c. 691 Fair Lady. Silver pink apple blossom. Pkr. 15c; Special Pkr. 25c; ½ oz. 75c. 699 Rusi-proof Maximum Mixture. Pkr. 15c; Special Pkr. 25c; ¼ oz. 75c.

638 Snow White. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.

639 Rust-Proof Nanum Mixture. Pkt. 10c; Special Pkt. 25c; 1/4 oz. 40c; 1 oz. \$1.25.

### 10 Rust-resistant SUPER-MAJESTIC

#### VARIETIES

Branching 21/2 Feet Tall. Extra Giant Flowered

The development of these new Rust-Resistant Snapdragons is one of the greatest accomplishments ever made by plant breeders. It is possible now to have them grow to perfection even where the old strain has proved a complete failure due to rust infection. These new Majestic varieties grow about 2 feet in height and bear an abundance of long, strong flower stems set with giant blooms of perfect form. As they are highly rust-resistant, success with them is most certain.

Red Rocket. Bright red. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c. 659

652 Rose Sensation. Rose pink. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c.

662 Royal Crimson. Garnet crimson. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt.

651 Autumn Glow Shades. Old rose. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt.

75c.

75c. 653 Harmony Shades. Terra cotta. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c. Orange Shades. Golden orange. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 654 75c.

655 Red Shades. All shades red. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c.

Rose Shades. Begonia rose. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c. 656

Shell Pink Shades. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c.

658 Silver Pink. Deep pink, early. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c. 666 Super Majestic Mixed. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c; 1/4 oz. 75c.

660 Antirrhinum, Golden Rod, New Tall Giant Snapdragon. Large, bright, golden-yellow flowers on tall spikes. Plants are base branching. Highly rust resistant. Pkt. 25c.

#### SCHIZANTHUS-Poor Man's Orchid

Hardy annual, 18 inches. May be sown in the Fall or early Spring. Can be used in pots.

Myriads of dainty blossoms like butterflies or tiny orchids crowd these delightful plants. In the garden or for pot culture they make very effective growth. The seed germinates readily, and the plants start flowering within a few weeks. They are fine for picking.

2698 Brilliant Mixed Strain of Hybrids. A beautiful collection of large flowered hybrids with dainty markings, chiefly in the lighter tones or pastel shades. Pkt. 25c.

2699 Wisetonensis Dwarf Mixed. Shades of crimson, blue and purple, with vivid golden blotches. Pkt. 15c.

#### STEVIA

Tender Perennial—2 Feet

2951 Stevia Servata. A new bouquet mixer. Small white, sweetly scented flowers borne on long slender stalks. Hardy in a mild climate. Grows so rapidly it is usually treated as an annual. Pkt. 15c.

## STOCKS Gilli Flower

FRACRANT, FROM SEED "The World's Best Double Stock"

All our California grown stocks bloom at least two weeks earlier than seed grown in any other section of the world. NOTE: The better strains of Stocks produce from 60 to 65 per cent of double flowers when all the plants survive and are used. For best results, sow seed thinly to permit uniform growth, use plants "as they come," and set closely enough in the beds to permit removal of the singles as they come into flower.



#### GIANT IMPERIAL BISMARCK STOCK

(Improved Bismarck, 21/2 Feet)

This strain of Giant Ten Week Bismarck Stocks grow to a height of about 2½ feet, forming much branched plants that produce immense spikes of flowers measuring 12 to 16 inches long. They bear a high percentage of double flowers and are long. They bear ideal for cutting.

- Rose Charm. Deep rose pink. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.
- 723 Antique Copper. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.
- Buttercup. Rich yellow tone. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c. 717
- Chamois. Ivory tinted rose; florists. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.
- 726 Chamoise Rose. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.
- Fiery Blood Red. Florists. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c. 711
- 712 Flesh. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.
- Golden Ball. Fine canary yellow. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 725
- 715 Golden Rose, Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.
- 714 Lavender. Florists. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.
- Lilac. Darker than lavender. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c. 728
- 721 Purple or Dark Blue. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.
- 727 Rose. Most popular florists' color. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt.
- Shasta, Mammoth white. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c. 718
- 716 Mixed. All colors. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.

#### MAMMOTH BRANCHING NICE (2 ft.)

Beauty of Nice-Very Double

Nice Giant strain form branched plants about two feet high, producing spikes of large double flowers. The plants are extremely free blooming, continuing to bloom for a long time.

- 748 American Beauty. Rose pink. Pkt. 15c.
- 749 Giant Branching Nice. Mixed. Pkt. 15c.

### STOCK—Double Giants of California Branching 3 Feet Tall. Flowers 3 Inches Across.

Double Giants of California. We offer this new tall branching group of stocks which is now rated No. 1 by the florists and gardeners. They are early flowering, produce long branches, three feet high, and have extra long flowering spikes with

immense individual flowers. The double percentage is very high, averaging approximately 75 per cent. It is the best stock for cut flowers. Planting season, January to June.

- 758 Golden Gate. Yellow. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 60c.
- 755 Monterey. Pink. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 60c.
- 752 Pacific. Blue. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 60c.
- 753 Santa Barbara. Chamois. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 60c.
- 757 Santa Maria. White. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 60c.
- 754 Tahoe. Lavender. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 60c.
- 751 The Redwoods. Blood red. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 60c.
- 756 Yosemite. Rose. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 60c.
- 809 Exquisite Orange Blossom Mixed. All colors. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 60c.

2750 Virginia Stock, New Compact, Extra Early, Miniature Mixed. Also known as French Forget-Me-Not. Compact bushes, 6 inches high and 8 inches across. Flowers measure 34-inch across. Rich colors of bright rose, with golden eye, and red with golden eye. Pkt. 15c.

#### STOCK VIRGINIAN—(Year Round)

A hardy annual, growing about 6 inches high and blooming profusely. Of easy culture, and can be had in continuous bloom by sowing the seed at frequent intervals during Spring and Summer.

- 2746 Crimson Gem. An erect, compact variety. Pkt. 15c; 1/4 oz. 25c; oz. 75c.
- 2747 Rose. Bright rose turning to lavender. Pkt. 15c; 1/4 oz. 25c; oz. 75c.
- 2748 White. Pure white. Pkt. 15c; 1/4 oz. 25c; oz. 75c.
- 2749 Mixed Colors. Pkt. 15c; 1/2 oz. 25c; oz. 50c.



Virginia Stock

#### EVENING SCENTED STOCK—(Sept.-May)

734 Bicornis (Evening-Scented Stock.) This hardy annual has purplish Illac flowers on long spikes, but is grown only for its fragrance, which it emits in the evening. One foot tall. Sow in the open any time in the fall until May. Pkt. 10c; ¼ oz. 25c.

#### SHASTA DAISY

#### CHRYSANTHEMUM MAXIMUM-(May-Oct.)

A fine perennial plant bearing large white single blossoms with yellow centers; an excellent cut flower and admired everywhere. Soak seed in warm water overnight before sowing. Sow in boxes and transplant when well started.

2351 Alaska. The best variety. Pkt. 15c; 1/8 oz. 35c; 1/4 oz. 65c. 2355 Giant Double (Burbank's Variable). Pkt. 35c.

#### THALICTRUM MEADOW RUE

Hardy Perennial—(Plant March to October)

1201 Thalictrum. Fraser's Fairy Bells. Dainty mauve and primrose flowers make this a bouquet mixer equal to Gypsophila. Large Pkt. 25c; 1/8 oz. \$1.00.

1202 Trachelium Coeruleum. Resembles the hydrangea, for pot plants and outdoors. Has large clusters of heliotrope blue flowers, which are long lasting. New and very good. The seeds are as fine as fern seeds and should not be covered. Grows very easily. Pkg. 25c; 6 Pkgs. 31.00.

#### **NEW WALLFLOWERS** GIANT ANNUALS

Easy to Grow as Stocks

The new types, both single and double, in the annual strains. are of such easy growth and produce such superb spikes of deliciously scented blooms.

2751 Annual Single Wallflower Blend. 12 inches. A mixture of red, brown, yellow and creamy-white shades. An early flowering variety. Pkt. 15c: 1/2 oz.; 35c.

2752 Annual Double Wallflower Blend. 18 inches. A mixture of browns and yellows, coming into flower five months from planting. Pkt. 20c; ½ oz. 40c; ½ oz. 70c.

#### TEXAS QUEEN ANN'S LACE FLOWER

2735 Texas Queen Ann's Lace Flower. White, tiny flowers in umbels, the whole forming large lacy heads, attractive in the mixed bed, and useful as a cut flower filler; 2½ feet; sow February to May. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 40c.

#### TALL TITHONIA, EARLY WITH NEW COLORS

2418 Tall Tithonia Fireball. Dazzling as living flame of Fire poised high above other flowers, the last word in brilliance of color in a fall blooming plant. Fireball is a very brilliant, vibrant shade of scarlet orange, the petals in dazzling contast to the clear yellow center. The gaily colored flowers are single, very large, 4½ to 5 inches in diameter, and are carried on fine long stems. Extremely showy in the garden and an excellent cut flower. Flowers keep five or six days when cut. PLANT FREELY THIS NEW HEADLINER FOR 1942 SEASON. Pkt. 25c; Special Pkt. 75c.

Early Tithonia-Speciosa-(Mexican Sunflower). BRIGHT ORANGE in color. This is an annual, very popular and successful in United States. Height, habit and shape of its flowers remind one of a single Dahla. Grows four feet tall. PLANT IN SPRING MONTHS for LATE SUMMER AND FALL BLOOMING. Pkt. 15c; 4 oz. 50c; oz. \$1.50.

#### RUDEBECKIA—KELVEDON STAR

2492 Kelvedon Star is a beautiful new variety with golden yellow flowers with a mahogany zone and dark brown center, on stiff stems from 12 to 18 inches long. The flowers are interestingly variable, some with a larger mahogany zone, and some with two rows of petals, others have petals with an artistic twist. The plants are upright and neat in appearance.

#### **VERBENA**

#### Is a Willing Bloomer

#### BLOOM PROFUSELY FROM MID-SUMMER UNTIL FROST

Verbenas are great favorites for beds, borders, and for cutting. They also are splendid for rock garden planting. For early blooms start the seed indoors during February or March and transplant to flowering quarters during May. Sown outdoors in May, the plants will begin blooming in July. Excepting the Venosa varieties all Verbenas listed here are annuals.

- 2730 Beauty of Oxford Hybrids. Brilliant rose shades. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 60c.
- 2722 Lavender Glory. True lavender with creamy eye. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 60c.
- 2731 Cerise Queen, Salmon cerise, Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 60c.
- 2724 Etna, Garnet red, cream eye. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 60c.
- 2732 Giant Salmon Pink. Huge tresses. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 600
- 2725 Luminosa, Glowing flame pink. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt.
- Giant Lucifer. Improved; vivid scarlet. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 60c.
- 2726 Rosea Stellata. Rose, white eye. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt.
- 2733 Royale. Royal blue with cream eye. Pkt. 15c; Special
- 2734 Spectrum Red. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 60c.
- 2721 Violacea Stellata. Deep violet, white eye. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 60c.
- 2728 White. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 60c.

60c.

2729 Giants Mixed. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.

#### VERBENA (Moss Verbena)

2736 Venosa Purple. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.

2737 Venosa Lilacina. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.

2738 Erinoides (Moss Verbena). Purple. Pkt. 15c; Special Pkt. 50c.

#### VINCA (Madagascar Periwinkle)

2745 Vinca, New African Phlox-Flowered (Periwinkle). Hardy perennial 15 inches high. Everywhere this plant increases in demand because the glossy green foliage is attractive even when the plant is not in bloom. Giant Phlox-like flowers often measuring two inches in diameter and borne in clusters. Comes in a riot of shades of rose, pink and white. Pkt. 15c. 1203 Torenia (Wishbone Flower). We believe this to be one of the most delightful annuals for border, window-boxes, or massed effects in moist shady places. Flowers have dark purple tubes, a deep blotch of velvety purple on the lobes of the corolla, the uppermost lobe cleverly creased, together with the united stamens, which give the entire large flower a wishbone shape. It is an easily grown, exotic-looking annual. Pkt. 25c.



Tithonia Fireball

#### VIOLAS, RED, BLUE AND YELLOW VIOLA CORNUTA

TUFTED PANSIES-(Year Round)

Very free-blooming hardy perennial plants. Flowers are not so large as in other varieties of Pansies, but are produced in much greater numbers and also bloom for a longer season. Valuable for edging beds and borders. Keep the seed bed cool and moist.

1095 Arkwright Ruby. Dark crimson scarlet with central markings. Pkt. 25c; 1/4 oz. \$2.50; oz. \$9.00.

1106 Blue Perfection. Deep purplish blue. Pkt. 15c; 1/4 oz. \$1.00.

1096 Chantreyland. Pure apricot; free flowering. Pkt. 25c; 1/4 oz. \$2.00; oz. \$7.50.

1094 Admiration. Forms a large compact plant. The flowers are a deep violet-blue with an occasional very slight variation in tint. Pkt, 25c; ½ oz. \$1.00; oz. \$3.00.
1104 Lutea Grandiflora. Fine yellow. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. \$1.00; oz. \$3.00.

1103 Papilio. Lavender with white eye. Pkt. 15c; 1/4 oz. 75c; oz. \$3.00.

1097 Violet Perfection. Papilion type. Pkt. 15c; 1/4 oz. \$1.00; oz. \$3.00.

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The first step in planting a vegetable is to examine your soil for type and condition. If your soil is light (sandy) and is well drained (which if should be) remember that in this type of soil, the root crops thrive. These are: carrots, beets, turnips, parsnips, rutabagas, onions, and in the summer months, fomatoes, lettuce and sweet corn. These crops all demand a light, loose and airy soil. They also need plenty of fertilization and demand regular and adequate irrigation.

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VM553	Ostrich Plume	.10	.20	VS783 New Zeala
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	Golden Mayonnaise-Hearted Lettuce	10	.25	SQUASH
VI 486	Cos or Romaine Frager's Exhibition	.10	.23	VS789 Summer Sc
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VL483	Los Angeles or New York	.10	.25	VS791 Banana. L
VL484	Hawaii, White Heart. Best home gar-			variety
den var	iety	.10	.25	VS792 Green Hub
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MELONS		Pkt.	Oz.	VS798 Zucchini o
	Musk, Tip Top		.25	Light green
	Musk, Honey Dew, Golden Flesh		.25	TURNIP
	Casaba, Winter Pineapple		.25	VT850 Early Whit
	Casaba, large hybrid		.25	VT851 Purple Tor
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	Watermelon, Klondike striped		.25	Both the Foliage a
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